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To our Emerald Triangle Communities,

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We would like farmers to know that they can take some precautionary measures this time of year to help secure their property. The following information is not meant to be legal advice and folks with questions should consult with their attorney.

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3. If drawing water from a well - the county permit for the well.
4. If storing water in a tank, bladder or container of 5,000 gallons or more the County permit for the tank and the flat it sits on.
5. If the farm has flats or terraces that are man made then the county permits, or paperwork from the engaged engineer helping the land owner file the permit paperwork.
6. Prop 215 compliance paperwork such as patient recommendations, articles of incorporation, dispensary contracts, collective agreements, etc.
7. Tape a copy of the farm folder to the garden gate, or main entrance into the cartilage of the property/homestead area. Farm folders can be posted in multiple locations if that feels appropriate.
8. Remove all guns and ammo from the property. It is illegal on the same property where medical cannabis is grown or present.
9. Remove all valuables such as cash, jewelry, passports, etc.
10. Mark the water level in your water tanks with chalk, noting today's date and photo the marked tank as well as the outgoing intact waterline.
11. Do the same for any fuel reserves on site.
12. Photo all medical cannabis gardens and collective or patient information. Try to show that the medical and compliance paperwork is clearly visible and pertaining to the garden in the pictures you take. Upload these photos to a cloud or drop-box based file that is accessible regardless of loss of phone, camera, or computer.

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We wish everyone strength and send much love out to you all!

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MAILBOX

Park Disservice

Editor:

The selling and buying of manufactured home parks is an ongoing disaster for residents ("Mobile Home Owners Rally Over Rent," Aug. 6).

By nature, corporations are soulless entities driven by only one thing: profit ... at any cost to residents.

We residents have already seen that our local McKinleyville Municipal Advisory Committee has abandoned regular citizens. At the first meeting where such resident concerns were brought up, the board seemed to be genuinely concerned about our plight.

By the second meeting 30 days later they had completely gone to the dark side and showed local citizens exactly who they will take their marching orders from: business owners.

The packed house of speakers at the second meeting were arrogantly dismissed by the unanimous vote to not recommend the county staff to at least look into rent stabilization possibilities. Passing along our concerns to the Board of Supervisors would have not cost the MCSD board anything.

Obviously, after those 30 days of lobbying by park owners and other business leaders they were quite willing to ignore the exact citizens they are supposed to serve.

Regardless of that ignorant Supreme Court decision, corporations are *not people*!

We have been sacrificed to the business/park-owner community. Isn't that always the way?

Gouge the voiceless in order to feed the for-profit overlords. Now it seems that our arrogant supervisor Sundberg has brazenly acknowledged that he doesn't give a damn about regular folks. He is quite willing to sacrifice his constituents to corporate greed. Business/politics as usual.

No wonder why citizens hate any form of government. It's all a puppet show.

Such attitudes by our Supervisor Sundberg clearly show who pulls the strings.

Gura Lashlee, McKinleyville

Race Baiting

Editor:

My letter is written in response to Michael Tout's letter, entitled "A Familial Vote," which was published in the Aug. 6 edition of the North Coast Journal.

I agree with Mr. Tout's letter about the noise pollution from "Race Day" at Redwood Acres. My husband and I live off of Buttermilk Lane near Sunny Brae in Arcata. We were both working in our yard the day of the race, but we did not realize, at that time, where the noise was coming from. That was until I read Mr. Tout's letter about "Race Day."

My husband and I found the noise from Race

Comment of the Week

"Six months? Fuck him."

— Matt Filar, commenting on photographer Curran Hatleberg's recent photo documentation and teaching stint in Humboldt County.

Day to be very unpleasant, and we both commented that we hoped it was not going to be a regular thing because it went on for hours and interrupted what is typically an enjoyable activity for us — working in our garden. In fact, I ended up going inside the house because I got tired of listening to it.

I know that people want a safe place to race, but it does not seem right that an event such as this is allowed in a place where it disturbs so many people in the community — both near and far — for hours on end.

Kimberly Tays, Arcata

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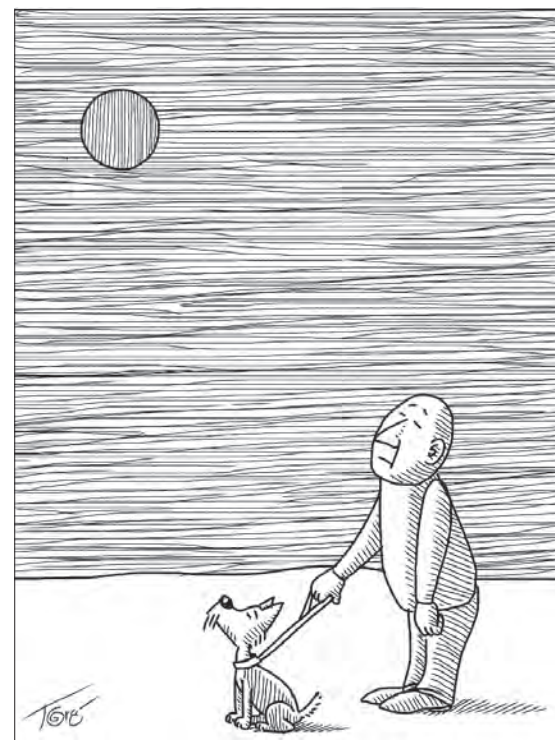
Editor:

I am getting very tired of listening to the usual discussion on homelessness. Of course the counts of the homeless are not accurate ("The Numbers are Out and the Jury is In," July 16). Of course the beds in shelters are never enough. Naturally, illegal camps get trashy and upset nearby merchants and residents. None of this is news. We seldom talk about the real problem in America — there is homelessness because there *isn't* a social safety net to prevent it. And I would also point the finger at treating homes as just another commodity to be speculated on for financial gain.

I might have become homeless myself a few times, but my family always helped. My parents took me back twice and my sister took me in another time, toddler included. It is really immaterial if a person has mental health issues, or can't work, or can't keep a job if they find work, or has a problem with drugs or alcohol, or is just having the most awful run of bad luck. None of this causes homelessness. Millions of other people with the same problems are being taken care of somewhere by their families. Lack of family to take you in — that's the final straw, and rarely your own fault!

It seems like in a more compassionate society we would set up a legal, free place to camp for those unfortunates who need it. The taxpayers should take care of garbage pickup and potties; there is a clear public benefit to doing so. A school bus should stop there and perhaps there should be some other basic services. What is the sense in making criminals out of people who are simply very poor?

To really address homelessness we need to get



CARTOON BY TERRY TORGERSON

out of denial about how it ever got so bad. But we can begin now to be kind to our fellow humans.

Karen Shepherd, Arcata

Seeking a Partner

Editor:

At an Arcata City Council meeting, the California Clean Power principals told us they'd learned how to set up CCA systems by setting up Sonoma County's ("Arcata Eyes Costly Divorce," July 30). They did that as county officials. But the model they're urging on us is not that model; it adds a new layer of organization, to wit, their new private company. Pardon my jaundiced eye, but their in-house feasibility study looks a bit self-serving to me. Evidently we're helpless without them.

Peter Rumble says Cal Clean Power (not to be confused with our other suitor with the same acronym, Community Choice Partners) is set to share the financial risk among other communities who may use its services. What's stopping the Redwood Coast Energy Authority from reaching out to those other communities? And while Cal Clean Power's middleman-for-profit model is untried (we'd be their first customer), the not-for-profit models are legion. OK, not legion, but there's Marin and Sonoma Counties, which between them also cover six cities in two other counties, and the unincorporated part of a third. San Francisco's finally moving forward on its own, Davis wants to join Marin, Santa Barbara's at least flirting with the idea (though it doesn't look like Santa Barbara was the flirting type, according to report). San Diego's consulting a lawyer who helped set up Marin's system. As far as I can tell none of these entities is looking to farm out the job to either CCP or, uh, CCP.

To give the CCPs their due, though they are for-profit corporations, their specific form is that of "California benefit corporation", meaning they're supposed to do good while doing well.

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Disquiet on the Mobile Home Front

By Hilary Mosher

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Humboldt County heard from four of its five supervisors in reaction to the request that the issue of a mobile home park lot fee stabilization ordinance be placed on the Board of Supervisors' agenda (see "Mobile Home Owners Rally over Rent," Aug. 6).

Third District Supervisor Mark Lovelace has said he would like to help in the effort to create an ordinance. Supervisors Ryan Sundberg, Virginia Bass and Rex Bohn have all said they will not put the issue on the agenda. They said through emails with constituents that after consulting with the county attorney and planning department, they have determined that the regulations in the general plan mandating "preservat[ion] of mobile home parks as an important source of affordable housing..." does NOT mean what it says. Instead, they have determined that it means keeping mobile home parks from being converted to other uses. All three have also said that they are studying re-activating the 1994 Park Dispute Resolution proclamation by meeting with those involved before, including former supervisors. Only Sundberg has given even a hint of why he does not favor an ordinance to protect us, saying, "If you put rent control into place, what would stop a park owner to just pass on more fees to make it up?"

There are several disquieting issues at work here:

1. Why doesn't Mark Lovelace put the issue on the agenda?
2. Why are Sundberg, Bass and Bohn subverting the public process of decision-making by working under the table toward anything *but* an ordinance that will protect mobile home owners from unfair lot fee spikes?
3. Why are Sundberg, Bass and Bohn *not* saying why they won't put the issue on the agenda? Why are they ignoring the written recommendations to do so from the Area 1 Agency on Aging and their own appointed Human Rights Commission?
4. In the three regulations in the county general plan pertaining to mobile home parks, there is not one that contains the word "conversion." Under existing regulations, a park could only be converted after a use permit hearing with the Planning Commission — it is a separate process and the outcome of conversion obviously would be precluded by enormous public outcry.
5. Since all the regulations do include the word "affordable," and this housing is fast becoming unaffordable, how do supervisors construe their responsibilities in view of this specific language? Do they really not see that if seniors can't afford the lot fee increases and must abandon

their homes, not only does the housing cease to meet the mandated affordability threshold, but the park can be converted? Nationally, this is common practice. Corporations gut parks, then sell the property for a one-time cash windfall.

5. California mobile home residency laws prohibit park owners from passing through random fees to residents. Pass-throughs are only allowed for services subject to a process determining necessity, allowing residents to see receipts, and once the fee has been paid off, it goes away.

6. The 1994 "Dispute Resolution Proclamation" assumes there is a wrong that needs to be resolved. Park owners are not doing anything wrong. Under the law they have the right to raise their lot fees as high as they want. The supervisors using public funds for meetings to convince park owners not to exercise their rights would be a violation of their duty to uphold the laws. Dispute resolution only works if both parties participate, and mobile home owners won't waste time helping supervisors to create a smoke screen surrounding the real problem — the law must be changed!

Remember we are talking about tiny plots of dirt! Park residents are captive prey because they cannot move their homes. The courts have consistently

found that this situation represents a "spacial monopoly" that park residents need protection from.

According to the 2015 California Mobile Home Residency Law book by the California Select Committee on Manufactured Home Communities, there are approximately 102 local jurisdictions with some form of lot fee stabilization ordinance for mobile home parks. It is the only solution to this problem.

Under such an ordinance, mobile home park owners would still be allowed to raise their lot fees. An ordinance will set reasonable increase limits, such as the consumer price index (CPI), allowing the profit margin for parks to remain lucrative. Right now the profit margin for my park, Ocean West, is approximately \$442,000 per year. The local family that built the park raised the fees each year, but never more than the CPI, which was affordable. And that is what the Humboldt General Plan regulations mandate. Our elected officials must uphold this mandate. We need them to stop prevaricating and do their jobs. ●

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City funding for tourism efforts slashed

By Linda Stansberry

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Several weeks ago, Eureka Police Chief Andy Mills got a call on a Sunday night from an irate citizen complaining about a homeless man sleeping beneath the “Welcome to Eureka” sign. He drove to wake the man up, telling him “I don’t think that’s a good spot, let’s find a different spot.”

This story, told by Mills at a recent city council meeting, may illustrate most succinctly the dilemma heightened by the city’s recent financial woes. Contracts for the Eureka Chamber of Commerce and the Humboldt County Convention and Visitor’s Bureau were renewed on August 1 of this year with cuts of 20 percent to each entity. Originally the city had planned to cut 10 percent, but dug deeper in order to preserve some administrative positions within the police department. Now it appears 2016 will see even greater slashes in city funding to these organizations, putting the future of several key tourism efforts in question.

“We’re here to make money for the city, not take it,” said Tony Smithers, executive director of the Humboldt County Convention and Visitor’s Bureau. Smithers points to the county’s bed tax collections, on a steady rise since 2011, as a possible performance metric.

“We deal with complete destination marketing. A lot of it is longer term. For example, advertising. When we get someone to write or do a story on Humboldt County, its value far exceeds the amount of money spent,” said Smithers. He used a 2014 full-page ad in *Sunset* magazine, which cost \$10,500, as an example. The Bureau split the cost of the ad with the Humboldt Lodging Alliance, an organization that uses assessment fees from hotels to sponsor tourism efforts. Smithers

is also the administrator of the HLA.

Smithers added that he’s “not really concerned that the contract will not be renewed,” although his organization’s board is anxious about its fiscal future and feels pressured to be “prudent.” The HC-CVB had its funding from the city cut by \$58,000 this year.

One source of concern is the Bureau’s commitment to the Fly Humboldt campaign. The organization had allocated \$250,000 to the public-private partnership over the next two fiscal years, an amount matched by various businesses, volunteers and government entities. Its goal is to attract airlines to the long-benighted California Redwood Coast – Humboldt County Airport. Without the city’s support, Smithers said they may not be able to honor their contract to the campaign, and that other backers may get cold feet.

Despite the uncertainty, Smithers expressed optimism about the renegotiation process that should begin soon.

“It looks like there is some flexibility,” he said. “We should be able to make it work.”

Less assured is Don Smullen, executive director of the Eureka Chamber of Commerce. On June 17 the chamber received a notice that as of June 30, 2016 “the City will be under no obligation ... to allocate funds to the Chamber.” The city funds the chamber’s Visitor’s Center on Broadway to the tune of \$97,200 annually. (The chamber reports that funding to the center has decreased steadily over the last three years, dropping from \$144,244 in 2003.) Smullen said the Visitor’s Center sees around 10,000 visitors a year who drop by to pick up brochures and pick the brains of one of the three full-time employees.

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but they want to know what we think.”

In a phone call, City Manager Greg Sparks said the decision to cut funding for the Visitor's Center was not based on any dissatisfaction with chamber services.

City funding for the chamber has been a source of contention for many years, with councilmember Linda Atkins speaking out against funding for the organization, saying in 2011 that she “did not think city money should go to an organization that actively lobbies.” (Atkins did not return our calls for this article.)

The chamber currently has a long-term lease on the land where the Visitor's Center sits. As part of its agreement with the city, the organization built the building, paved the parking lot, brought it up to ADA compliance and continues to maintain it. After 18 years the building will revert back to the city. Smullen explained that the chamber has been dipping into its savings to continue running the Visitor's Center, an unsustainable solution. In a letter to its members, the chamber cites a cost of \$125,000 a year to continue running the center and asks members to prioritize the activities it would like to see the chamber continue. Smullen said most members want the chamber to lobby for economic development such as infrastructure improvement, rail, cold storage and attracting cruise ships.

“Jobs. We need jobs,” said Smullen. “To have jobs we need businesses that will hire you. I have five kids and I would love for them to come back after college.”

Should the Visitor's Center close, the chamber will continue its tenancy until the lease expires, using the space for mixers and meetings. Who will greet visitors once they reach our county's capital remains in question.

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The Casino Con

How a 70-year-old Georgian allegedly swindled the Yurok Tribe out of \$250K

By Thadeus Greenson

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The Yurok Tribe says it fell victim to a conman named Duke who bilked the tribe of \$250,000 as it pushed to finance the opening of its new Redwood Hotel and Casino in 2014.

In a letter last month to tribal members, Tribal Chair Thomas O'Rourke Sr. explained that, in an effort to fund staffing and operational start-up costs for the casino in the spring of 2014, the tribe arranged to borrow \$8 million from the nonprofit Humanitarian International Services Foundation, run by Charles "Duke" Sheehan, a 70-year-old maybe-doctor based out of Cumming, Georgia. Under the terms of the agreement, the tribe deposited \$250,000 in June 2014 into an escrow account that was supposed to fund "due diligence fees" and help pay financing costs, according to the letter. The problem was that four days earlier, unbeknownst to the tribe, Sheehan had been indicted by a federal grand jury for running a fraud scheme in Georgia and Ohio.

When Sheehan failed to make good on his promise to deposit the first \$1 million

of the \$8 million loan into a tribal account last August, the Yurok council began making inquiries and learned that its \$250,000 had been wired out of the escrow account immediately after it was deposited.

The tribe forwarded this information on to the Del Norte County District Attorney's Office, which launched an investigation, according to chief investigator AC Field, who said the alleged fraud was like getting an email from a Russian emissary looking for help moving money into the United States. "We're looking into it," Field said, adding that he's been in contact with federal agencies about the case. "I'm going to give this 100 percent and we're going to see what we can do. But it definitely has its challenges for a local investigator because of the jurisdictional issues that we face."

In May, Sheehan was sentenced to serve 36 months in federal prison after pleading guilty to a single count of securities fraud from a 2009 case that saw him pilfer \$1 million from Westbury Funding, a Cincinnati, Ohio religious group seeking

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to finance a real estate project. In that case, Sheehan was acting as the principal of the nonprofit Southern Foundation for the Advancement of Arts and Education, which, according to federal tax documents, was headquartered in Sheehan's Cumming, Georgia, condominium.

Westbury was to invest \$1 million to get \$40 million within a year's time. According to the documents, Sheehan claimed the foundation had about \$5 billion in assets, though tax documents show it was actually more than \$400,000 in debt at the time. Sheehan told Westbury that if it invested \$1 million, his foundation pool would leverage billions of dollars in markets in London and Germany, ultimately funneling \$1 million a week back to Westbury for a span of 40 weeks. Westbury never saw any of that money because, according to federal prosecutors, Sheehan immediately withdrew its \$1 million, keeping \$250,000 for himself and using the balance to pay various debts.

Court documents in the case indicate Sheehan strung Westbury along for more than a year, promising repeatedly that payments were imminent, contingent on transactions in some far-away place.

Prosecutors provided the court with a chain of emails between Westbury Funding officials and Sheehan, arguing they showed the degree to which he manipulated his victims. In the emails, Sheehan seems to play upon the Westbury group's religious beliefs. "We have been blessed with the Lord allowing us to complete this transaction," he writes when Westbury agrees to the deal, closing his email with his customary "have a blessed day." Throughout the exchange, Sheehan artfully gives the group enough specifics about the deals to appear believable but never provides any information that the group could independently verify. He casually mentions he's got more than a dozen other investors waiting on these deals. When the group gets particularly antsy when it's yet to receive a payment some eight months after initial investment, Sheehan wires \$20,000 to its account, assuring a \$1 million transfer will follow. The emails also show how Westbury Funding's officials tried to maintain hope for months. "I am almost bankrupt and can't afford to have this money just disappear," one writes to Sheehan. "I continue to pray about this but my faith has been shaken."

As he allegedly did with the Yurok Tribe, Sheehan presented himself to the Ohio group as both a PhD and an MD, and, according to court documents, he insisted to federal investigators that he'd received both degrees from Douwid University in

Pakistan. But the only records investigators were able to find for Sheehan show he completed just a year of schooling at Wilbur Wright College in Chicago back in 1965. Investigators' Internet searches for Douwid University brought up only a handful of references, all of which were related to Sheehan's own claims, according to the documents. Prosecutors also note that Department of Homeland Security records indicate Sheehan only got his first passport in 1997. "Furthermore," states a sentencing memorandum prepared by the U.S. Attorney's Office, "Sheehan has never been licensed to practice medicine anywhere in the United States."

None of the information regarding Sheehan's Ohio swindle was public last spring, when the Yurok Tribe was frantically working to finance the opening of its new casino and hotel. Because construction delays stretched the tribe's budget and pushed back the opening, the tribe needed additional money for start-up costs, which included a surveillance system and gaming machines. According to O'Rourke's letter, the tribe was pursuing an almost \$5 million loan from Pinnacle Bank that included a 90 percent guarantee from the Bureau of Indian Affairs. But the guarantee delayed the process, and the loan wasn't finalized until September 2014. In the meantime, the tribe needed money. In May of 2014, it transferred \$1.7 million in "carbon credit discretionary funds" to help get the casino up and running, according to the letter, and pursued loan opportunities elsewhere.

It was during this process that tribal Vice Chair Susan Masten told the Yurok Tribal Council that she "was in the process of obtaining a personal business loan and asked the Tribal Council if they wanted her to contact the investment company she was working with to see if there was an opportunity for the tribe to secure a loan to meet the needs of (the Redwood Hotel and Casino)," according to the letter.

With the council's approval, Masten contacted Christopher Deceannett, who then introduced her and the tribal council to Sheehan. By this time, Sheehan had changed the name of his Southern Foundation for the Advancement of Arts and Education, which he founded in 1998, to the Humanitarian International Services Foundation.

When Sheehan spoke to tribal representatives, according to O'Rourke's letter, he told them he was a retired doctor and long-time philanthropist, and that his

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foundation was the philanthropic arm of several companies that he held financial interests in. The foundation, he reportedly said, provided 10-year loans to charitable causes, many of which would be forgiven during the loan term. "He sounded really good," said Councilperson Mindy Natt, adding that the council felt Sheehan came referred to the tribe by credible sources and came off well in initial email and phone correspondences. "He used his Christianity, and said he had helped a lot of people, people that came from poverty. ... We thought it was a good idea, and something we'd all hoped for. We didn't know it was going to be a fraud."

Before agreeing to the deal the tribe did some research on Sheehan, according to O'Rourke, but it was rushed.

"The Office of the Tribal Attorney did a basic review of the foundation and the loan documents, but was requested to do this quickly as the paperwork was to be submitted as soon as possible to meet the foundation's funding cycle," the letter states. "The HIS Foundation was a registered nonprofit in Georgia and the attorney for the escrow account was licensed with no violations."

With that information, the council approved entering into the loan agreement on May 28, 2014. But it seems a little more digging would have raised some red flags. Federal form 990s — annual financial statements that the IRS requires nonprofits to file — show that in 2013, the HIS Foundation reported less than \$400,000 in assets, was operating out of Sheehan's home address and listed him as the only employee or officer. The report also estimated that as the foundation's "chairman" he devoted zero hours a week to the position. Other documents list Sheehan as the foundation's CEO, CFO and secretary.

The foundation didn't file form 990s for 2012, 2011 or 2010 — which may explain why its tax-exempt status was suspended briefly in 2014 — but forms for 2008 and 2009 paint a similar picture. None of the forms on record list any charitable contributions or portray a foundation with the assets to facilitate multi-million-dollar loans.

The tribe's chances of recouping the allegedly heisted funds don't look great. Court documents indicate Sheehan has no substantial assets and he's already been ordered to repay the \$1 million he pocketed in the Westbury deal. It will be three years before the then-73-year-old is released back into society. If Sheehan is able to secure a prison job during his incarceration, he's to pay \$25 per

quarter toward his \$1 million obligation. If he lands higher-paying prison work, he's to devote 50 percent of his earnings toward the debt.

Natt said Masten — who served as the primary point of contact between Sheehan and the council — was also defrauded in the personal loan she arranged with him, losing the \$5,500 she put down to facilitate the deal. (Field, however, said he's not aware of any victims in the case locally other than the tribe.) Even after Sheehan's group missed its initial deadline to turn the first \$1 million of the loan over to the tribe, Natt said she and the council maintained faith, which lasted for months as Sheehan "strung" them along. It wasn't until the council learned of Sheehan's indictment and pending case, Natt said, that the council finally figured it had been swindled.

If the allegations facing Sheehan are true, it would mark the second time in the last five years that the Yurok Tribe has seen someone make off with tribal funds through fraud or embezzlement. Back in 2012, the tribe was rocked with news that its now former forestry director and a local biologist successfully conspired to bilk the tribe of almost \$900,000 through a scheme of fraudulent work orders and invoices.

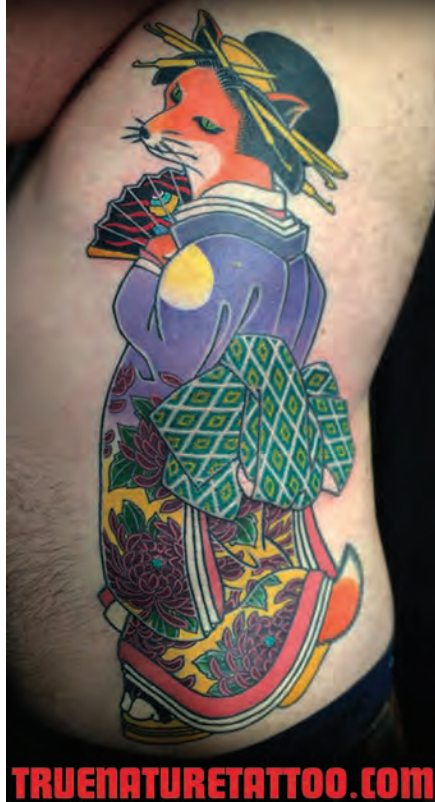
According to O'Rourke's letter, the tribe will work to keep its members informed about the criminal investigation. "We will provide you with the policies and procedures which will prevent this type of fraud from occurring against the tribe in the future."

Meanwhile, Field said he's in the process of trying to secure search warrants in other states to track the movement of the tribe's \$250,000 and Sheehan's finances. Field said he also believes there are multiple suspects in the case whose conduct needs to be investigated.

Natt said the tribe has hired a private investigator to look into the matter as well, and plans on updating tribal members on the status of that investigation at an annual meeting later this month. For her part, Natt said her confidence is shaken.

"I think it's important to note that this happens all over the world," she said. "People are getting swindled out of their money left and right. ... I was really persuaded by this guy that this was going to be an excellent thing for the tribe and I really thought it was going to happen. When I found out he'd stolen \$1 million (from Westbury), I was like, 'Man, I'm never trusting anyone again.'" ●

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The Humboldt Bay Marathon debuted on Aug. 9, the first such event to take place in the area since the early 1970s. Founded by local runner Rich Baker, the marathon kicked off in Eureka (with a half-marathon start in Arcata). Over 200 people registered for the inaugural run — and judging by the smiles under the sweat, considered the effort worthwhile. Here, former KHUM DJ Mike Dronkers crosses the Samoa bridges.

— Jennifer Savage



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GOVERNMENT / POLITICS

Lovelace Won't Run Again

Third District Supervisor Mark Lovelace announced on Aug. 10 that he will not seek re-election in 2016, giving credence to rumors that had been circulating for weeks. It appears he will finish out his term.

Meanwhile, Humboldt Bay Harbor, Recreation and Conservation District Commissioner Mike Wilson announced he will run for Lovelace's position in 2016, with Lovelace's endorsement. See both of their press releases online.

Also on the harbor front, Commissioner Aaron Newman did not file for re-election. Newman, who pleaded guilty to poaching charges last year, said he decided not to run because a campaign would take too much of a toll on his fishing business. Already, he said, he was losing money taking on the role of harbor commissioner, and that employees relied on him to not take more time out of his operation for a campaign.

Newman's decision not to run again extends the filing deadline for the harbor district's division one commissioner seat until Aug. 12 at 5 p.m. So far, Larry Doss and James Roberts have submitted candidacy paperwork, according to the elections office.

In the second district, Nick Angeloff and incumbent Greg Dale have filed paperwork. In the fifth district, Susan Rotwein and Kyle Visser have filed to run against incumbent Pat Higgins.

— Grant Scott-Goforth

COMMUNITY / OUTDOORS

On the XP

The Pony Express occupies a relatively small window in American history, but an outsized place in Wild West mythology. The mail service, in which riders carried messages via horseback for 1,800 miles from St. Jackson, Missouri to Sacramento was only in existence for 19 months — from April 3, 1860 to October 1861 — before being usurped by the modern marvel of the telegraph. It is credited with linking the then brand new state of California with the rest of the country. A good rider could gallop the distance in just 10 days, changing horses every 15 miles.

Today the trail is part of the National Park Service's trail system, and endurance riders take it at a slower pace. Four teams from Humboldt County recently completed the trail over the course of eight weeks, averaging about 50 miles a day. The XP, as it's known colloquially after the brand that once marked the flanks of Pony Express horses, still exerts a pull on the hearts of many.

Katie Azevedo, of Arcata, shared a horse with her mom Linda for the ride. While some equestrians compete for time, Katie said that she was more motivated by the opportunity to bond with Linda and get a unique perspective into the region's history.

She added that their horse, Sedona, performed very well despite challenging circumstances. The riders had a real glimpse into the dangers of frontier travel.

"Wyoming has the craziest weather; it never does what it says it's going to do," she says. "Once a tornado almost touched down. Things were going sideways. It was scary."

— Linda Stansberry

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Protect Your Lungs

Even those of us far away from the fireline have been impacted by the smoke and haze hovering over much of Humboldt County. If you washed layers of ash off of your car last week, consider what that stuff will do to the inside of your lungs!

As of press time, the North Coast Unified Air Quality Management District has notified us of hazardous conditions in Hayfork, Denny and the Hyampom areas, and unhealthy conditions in Dinsmore, Bridgeville and Blocksburg, but residents across the region should take caution about being outdoors in areas with poor air quality.

— Linda Stansberry

EMERGENCY

Hotels Hosing Our Heroes?

As fires rage in Mad River, Happy Camp, Gasquet and along State Route 36, state and federal agencies are scrambling to get boots on the ground. Firefighters and support personnel arrive at the local airport every day, to spend the night in Eureka before heading out to the fireline. The problem? Many haven't been able to find a place to stay.

According to Peggy Lawrence, spokesperson for Six Rivers National Forest, few of the hotels in the Eureka area that meet federal guidelines for reimbursement (safe, clean, working smoke alarms) are willing to offer room rates that match the rate for reimbursement, which tops out at \$109 a night. Lawrence said hotels across the country are aware of the government rate and usually offer it to federal contractors upon request, but many Eureka hotels are charging tourist season rates, which sometimes exceed \$200.

Lawrence said that tribal casinos have been an exception, offering rooms at a discount rate when they are available. The Red Lion has also set aside a block of rooms and its conference room for firefighters. Forest Superintendent Merv George has signed an order allowing an exception for current personnel, and is currently in talks with Humboldt County Supervisor Estelle Fennell and the Humboldt Lodging Alliance to address the problem. Meanwhile, at least one firefighter spent the night on the floor of park service headquarters before heading out to the front.

— Linda Stansberry

ENVIRONMENT / NATURAL RESOURCES

Feds Launch Klamath Investigation

As if enough hard feelings didn't exist over Klamath River water rights (see last week's article "A Long View of the Klamath"), the Office of Special Counsel, the federal agency in charge of researching claims put forth by whistleblowers, has directed the Interior Department to determine if millions of dollars meant for environmental restoration were instead used to benefit farming and ranching interests.

A press release from Oregon Wild notes that two biologists for the Bureau of Reclamation came forward to accuse the agency of illegally spending nearly \$70 million in their dealings with the Klamath Water and Power Agency, an association of Klamath project irrigators. The biologists pointed to a 2008 contract to pay for a feasibility study for fish and wildlife, and purchase water "for the direct benefit of fish and wildlife habitat." The five-year study has since been amended 17 times and extended to 2023, at several times the original cost and with no reported progress to date. Instead, the whistleblowers argue, the contract became a fund for the Klamath Water and Power Agency to pay for office space, salaries, fringe benefits, equipment and travel, as well as to fund pumping groundwater to farms during drought years.

— Jennifer Savage

PHOTOGRAPHY

Polar Extremes

Poverty. Sadness. A psychoactive tinge? Dudes, did you know we have a landscape that is "very psychedelic?" That's according to photographer Curran Hatleberg, recipient of a 2015 grant from Magnum Foundation's Emergency Fund and the 2014 Individual Photographer's Fellowship from the Aaron Siskind Foundation. Hatleberg, who spent the 2013 fall semester teaching photography at College of the Redwoods, has a book featuring our region, *Lost Coast*, coming out in September. According to Hatleberg, the photos included in a preview from *VICE* magazine, are "just a teaser." He held some of his favorites back.

Hatleberg, who spent six months here, says that Humboldt still remains "an enigma" to him. According to his *VICE* interview, people here "exist in a kind of dream state, propped up by the mythology of the Pacific Northwest."

For links to Hatleberg's photos and photo essays featured in the *Journal*, visit www.northcoastjournal.com.

— Linda Stansberry

To Toke, or Not to Toke

By Grant Scott-Goforth

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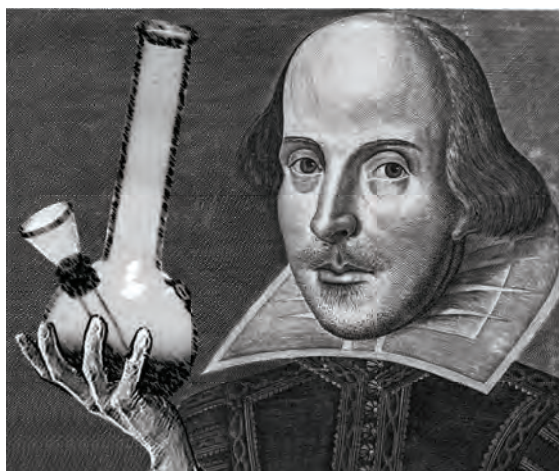


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Democratic Presidential Candidate Bernie Sanders made quite a splash on his southward West Coast tour last week, packing speaking venues in Seattle, Portland and Los Angeles and whipping up a fervor over his anti-corporate barbs and leftist proposals.

Bernie bashed Wall Street and income inequality and found cheers of support for his proposals for free public college tuition and raising the minimum wage. But he's also found common ground with his fellow senator Rand Paul, a small government social conservative contender for the 2016 Commander in Chief seat.

Both have evinced concerns over America's War on Drugs, though Sanders has done so with more eloquence and for seemingly grander reasons. (Paul's motivation seems to be to end the tyranny of the nanny state — a let-the-drug-addicts-kill-themselves-if-they-want creed — while Sanders has decried the social and economic harm of the decades-long policy.) Sanders was quoted in the *Washington Post* at his Seattle rally: "Too many lives have been destroyed by the war on drugs. Too many lives have been destroyed by incarceration."

But the *Post* also called him out for wishy-washiness on legalization in an article titled "On marijuana, Bernie Sanders is kind of a disappointing socialist ex-hippie."

What does that mean for Humboldt? Well, Sanders and Paul appear to be the only candidates who've said they would consider federal legalization of weed, for one thing. Both appeal to a young, educated, affluent — or at least middle class — white crowd (although Sanders has addressed the racial inequalities of the War on Drugs and doesn't share Paul's familial

ahem legacy of looney racist rants). Both are longshots, as well. Despite Bernie's recent growth in recognition and popularity, he remains well behind Hillary Clinton in the polls and some suggest his surge is over — though he remains the only real challenger to Clinton in the Democratic Primary.

Paul's campaign hasn't gone much of anywhere; *Politico* reports that he's anxiously trying to rewrite party rules in his native Kentucky so he can simultaneously run for president and re-election to his senate seat.

So, at this early point, marijuana's national campaign in 2016 is still slim at best.

The *New York Times* recently redoubled its previous editorial stance in favor of legalizing marijuana, calling out Congress and President Obama for being too timid on marijuana reform. In the call to action, the *Times* argues that the patchwork of statewide legal systems is going to create a tangled national mess of marijuana laws. "Direct democracy can sometimes produce good results. But it would be far better for Congress and the president to repeal failed laws and enact sensible drug policies."

A bud by any other name would smell as sweet.

In news that's sure to send a nation of drama kids spiraling into stonerdom, South African researchers discovered the residue of marijuana in pipes found in William Shakespeare's backyard.

Of course, if confronted by the law, the Bard would just say he was holding the stash for Christopher Marlowe. ●

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Each year, as we flip through the results of our annual Best of Humboldt voting, *Journal* staff members shrug, nod, raise skeptical eyebrows and shake fists at the sky. The fist shaking is a bit much. But like you, dear readers, we have our favorites and our priorities (see turnout numbers), and seeing our county's tastes tallied up makes us feel alternately vindicated, puzzled and like there is no justice in the world. Pretty much like all voting results. So as you survey the winners, noting the dynasties and the upsets, feel free to let it all out. We're right there with you.



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Best Milkshake and Best Onion Rings

Wondering where all the boys are? They're in Toni's yard, where the thick spoon-and-straw milkshakes have summoned them. You're going to need a minute to choose — boysenberry, mocha, chocolate malt — the flavors are legion. Normally stoic *Journal* News Editor Thadeus Greenon speaks of the peanut butter chocolate shake with wide eyes. Indeed. Spiked with a dollop of peanut butter, it's substantial enough to redefine "liquid lunch." Of course, if you're dipping hot, salty fries, go vanilla. That's just the natural order.

Speaking of fried, Toni's also won the battle for the One True Ring by the skin of its onions against Surfside Burger Shack. (Local restaurants take note: Both establishments dip their own rings instead of frying up the frozen kind.) What you get at Toni's is a paper basket overwhelmed by a Gordian knot of onion ribbons with crispy, flaky batter. Salt 'em up good and be ready with extra napkins.

— Jennifer Fumiko Cahill

Best Eatery on a Budget

Smug's is the only place in the world where standing in line is OK. When you see the line bulging out the door, that's a good sign. It moves fast. The whole time you can peer over the queue into the little pizza carousel, hoping the slice you've been eyeballing doesn't get scooped. It's better than a horse race. And if you lose, so what — they're all good. Soft, sweet dough cooked to crispy perfection. Best of all (and the reason Smug's won the category), you can get two giant, sloppy slices of pizza for under \$5. Swagging back into work, the pizza grease running down your arm is badge to be worn proudly.

— Grant Scott-Goforth

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BIG TURNOUTS

Can we extract Humboldt's life priorities from Best of Humboldt balloting? If so, we're doing admirably. Here are the categories that received the largest interest, as measured by total votes cast:

Best Brewery: 885 (of course)

Best Grocery Store: 848 (they sell beer)

Best Sandwich: 845 (Gotta find something to sop up all that beer)

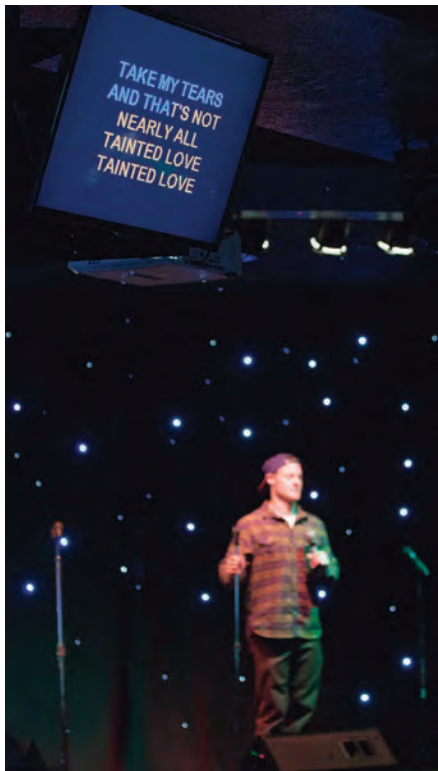
LOW TURNOUTS

If an analysis of Best of Humboldt voting tells us anything, it's that you, dear readers, don't care much about advanced degrees or weed — legal weed, anyway. Take a look at the categories that received the least interest:

CR Professor: 255

215 Physician: 276

Medical Marijuana Dispensary: 269



Best Karaoke

Amateur crooners have their pick of karaoke venues around the county and this year they voted for Blue Lake Casino as the place to grab the mic. On Thursdays and Sundays, you can peruse master of ceremonies KJ Leonard's songbook and hop up on an actual stage (lights! microphone stand!) to belt out some tunes. But it's the crowd that makes it because *they commit*. And not just when they're singing — the regulars join in on the chorus whilst knocking back their drinks tableside, and they cheer on the guy who's reaching for that high note in a Journey song. Oh, and be warned: If you dip into R. Kelly's oeuvre, they will get freaky on the floor.

— Jennifer Fumiko Cahill

Festival Mash-up We'd Most Like to See

Sometimes there's just too much going on and heavy-hitter events are piled up on for the same weekends. Why split the audience when we can combine fests and crank up the fun? It struck me as last year's Pride parade made its rainbow route past Paddlefest (losing a few sparkly wigged participants to a kayaking information booth), that Paddlin' Pride would be even better. Likewise, Fortuna Rodeo and the Humboldt Folklife Festival could put their boots and banjos together.

But the Dr. Moreau-style hybrid that appeals most is the Kinetic Grand Championship and the Ferndale Veteran's Day parade. After all, they take place on the same day on the same street. And why should the vets have to yield Main Street — what, you serve your country on the battlefield and you only get the morning? Instead, retired warriors and punky ROTC kids could defend Ferndale from kinetic invaders rolling in on flaming dragons and giant sharks. Sure, the racers have water, steep hills, sand dunes and sheer exhaustion to contend with, but how much more glorious would victory be if they had to make a final push past the famed Ferndale tank to cross the finish line? Freedom isn't free, and neither is glory.

— Jennifer Fumiko Cahill

LANDSLIDES

Apparently, in some categories, there's just no contest. Here's a look at the bouts that were over almost before they began:

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— Linda Stansberry



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Let's face it, in some ways Humboldt is just bitterly divided, whether it's logging practices, marijuana or the General Plan Update. Well, we can add another few things to that list of conversations to avoid around unfamiliar company, lest a blood feud ensue. Here are the Best of Humboldt categories that saw the tightest finishes:

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While his signature campaign logo — those orange-embazoned baseballs — may be round, District 1 Supervisor Rex Bohn has gotten a whole lot more angular, thanks to his new exercise regime. Every morning Bohn can be found sweating “with the kids” at Humboldt Crossfit. As of press time, Bohn was running unopposed for his district seat, possibly because of his fearsome guns.

MOST STYLIN’ CITY COUNCIL MEMBER

Cowboy boots and a stonewashed denim dress? Just another day for Kim Bergel, whose short blonde bob seems to remain perfectly coiffed in even the most heated Eureka City Council meetings. But wait! Over in Arcata, Mayor Michael Winkler rocks some sweet vintage style. Those contrasting pastel shirts? Those power ties? Smashing. So when is the tie-breaker walk-off?

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— Linda Stansberry ●



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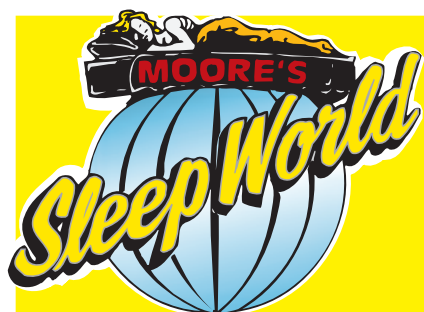


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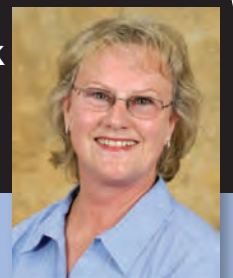
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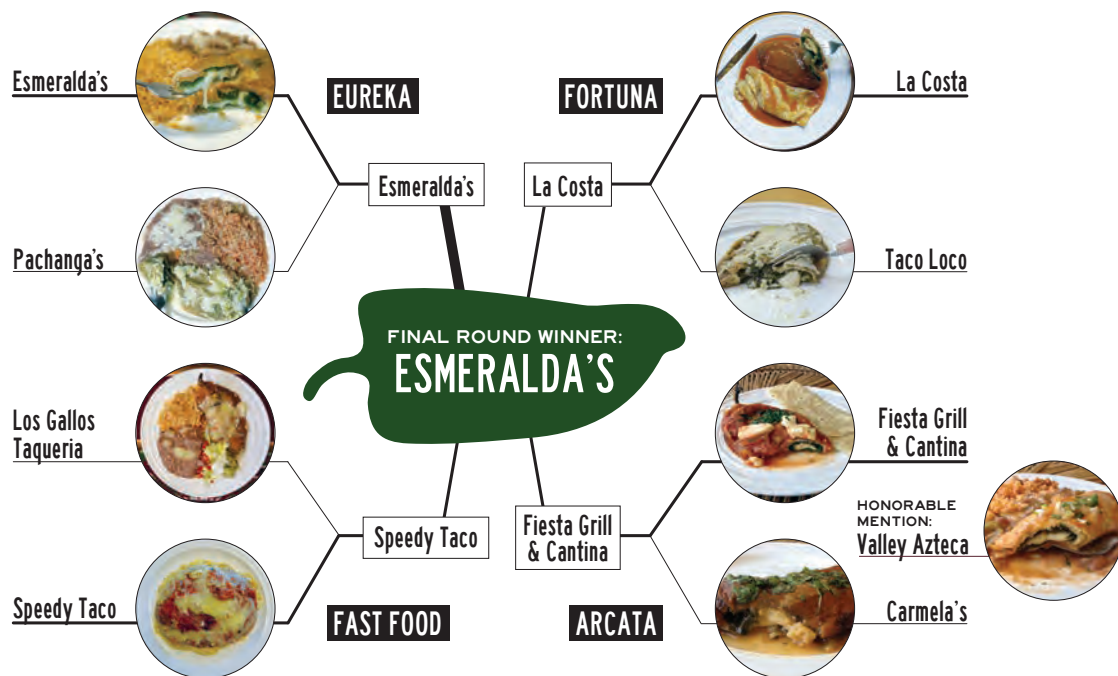
Nine restaurants throw down for a county-wide show down

By Linda Stansberry

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The chile relleno — a chili stuffed with cheese, battered and fried — is deceptively simple. So, too, was our bracket-style competition, in which regional winners duked it out for the title. As soon as we announced our hunt, a tide of nominations came in the form of emails, Facebook messages, comments and intense conversations. We sorted the nominees, cracked our necks and chowed down.

Our criteria for a good relleno? Stem in, naturally. Good ratio of batter to cheese to pepper, with no one aspect reigning supreme. And whatever the Spanish version of *je ne sais quoi* is, that x factor that takes the dish from sufficient to *sabroso*.



THERE CAN BE ONLY ONE. GRAPHIC BY JONATHAN WEBSTER

Eureka Bracket: Part 1

The friendly, tattooed waitress at **Esmeralda's Mexican Food** (328 Grotto St.) assured us that "her mom makes the best chile relleno." Nepotism aside, our first bite revealed she just might be

right. Cheese was soft and oozy, complementing the puffy, brown batter and the perfectly cooked pepper. There was a nice bite to the pepper, with a sweet burn of a finish. Not bitter, not too hot. The kind of pepper you want to try when you're looking to level up on your spicy game.

Next up was **Pachanga** (1802 Fifth St.), where we encountered So. Much. Cheese. We love cheese. Nice eggy batter. Fantastic, zippy, tomatillo sauce. Ultimately, though, the cheese (stringier and a little more mozzarella-y than Esmeralda's)

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overwhelmed both batter and pepper. We get why this spot is a local favorite, and it's hard to override our love of cheese, but when it comes to the *yo no se que* (figured out the translation) of a good relleño, Esmeralda's nails it for the win.

Eureka Bracket: Part II

Expectation is a double-edged sword: it can elevate the mundane and intensify the disappointing. Never was this more true than with **Los Gallos Taqueria** at the Bayshore Mall. In case you think we've rigged this race, Los Gallos has been a dark horse favorite in the world of Humboldt taco and tamale aficionados for years. When we saw that their relleños are prepared far in advance of serving, however, our hopes sank. After a tentative mouthful, we put down our forks for the day. Gritty cheese, a rubbery chili, and totally under-seasoned — we were very disappointed.

A chili's throw down Broadway, the seven-minute turnaround at the **Speedy Taco** food truck (1223 Broadway) yielded a salivation-worthy, deep brown, monster of a chile relleño with a fistful of piping hot corn tortillas to sop up the extra cheese and piquant green sauce. The thick, oozy cheese inside hit every millimeter of umami area on our tongues, and the pepper itself had just the right amount of bite. The slightly soggy batter — perhaps the result of freezing? — wasn't enough to keep the little truck from running over Los Gallos in this round.

Fortuna Bracket

We were bombarded with recommendations for **La Costa** (664 S. Fortuna Blvd), including at least one cryptic message: "Try both kinds." Both kinds? One is a yellow, omelette-y envelope swaddling a pale Anaheim pepper, the other a dark, stout, battered Poblano. Both yielded to our forks with a gush of cheese, and both were swimming in a savory red sauce so thick it could pass for gravy. After sampling (and sampling, and sampling), we chose the thick-battered Poblano.

We gave deep sighs of appreciation when we opened the **Taco Loco** (955 Main St.) takeaway box and saw the plump, brown-battered chili smothered in green tomatillo sauce. A tinfoil-wrapped package of warm tortillas sat waiting for us to tear, scoop and savor. Lovers of all things green will not be disappointed: You get plenty of pepper per forkful, delightful tomatillo sauce and well-balanced spices. The only misstep was a slightly strange aftertaste, but it could not defeat La Costa's Fortuna-strong contender.

Arcata Bracket

Controversy overshadowed the Arcata bracket, as many declared the original eggy, crepe-like entry from **Fiesta Grill and Cantina** (3525 Janes Road) inadequate competition against the traditional battered and fried version from **Carmela's** (1288 G St.). So we called a do-over, this time including the late nomination **Valley Azteca** (5000 Valley West Blvd #6) for a three-way cage match.

Fiesta Grill and Cantina's traditional, stem in, battered and fried chile relleño delivered, arriving dotted with squeaky *queso fresco* and stuffed with more. The batter itself was puffy, a wee bit chewy (reminded us of inari skin) and sodden with rich red sauce.

Just up the road, Valley Azteca's house version was made with an Anaheim pepper. We chose not to be disappointed that it was of the eggy, omelette-y variety, instead focusing on how the Anaheim's bite was complemented by the green onion garnish. The lightness of this chile relleño was refreshing. Rather than disqualifying its entry, we subcategorized Valley Azteca as a top choice for your Mexican brunch. Hey, it opens at 9 a.m.

It's hard to describe how much we appreciated the savory sauce the monster from Carmela's swam in. We plucked scraps of pepper and onion from its container and savored every last bit. One of our reviewers described the chile relleño itself as a "Mexican ravioli." That dense, sharp, ricotta-like cheese and savory batter! The flavor was well layered and subtle.

This was a nail-biter, even with Valley Azteca on the sidelines (brunch!), down to a bite-by-bite comparison of Carmela's and Fiesta. With just the tip of each pepper left, we called in tie-breakers from our production staff, who dutifully picked up their forks, only to reach another stalemate. Too close to call? Fervent analysis covered the merits of a bitter pepper, the ratio of batter to cheese, whether accompanying rice and beans should factor in. In the end, Fiesta Grill and Cantina's traditional cheese won out.

In the end, our journey took us full circle to Esmeralda's, to the flirty pepper that haunted our tongues at each stop. We ordered another — you know, just to make sure — and though we tortured ourselves imagining the Fiesta batter on the firm, flavorful chili before us, Esmeralda's was the gloves-in-the-air winner. Enjoy your title, champ — and get ready to defend it.

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Many musicians will tell you that summer in Humboldt County can be a rough time of year for working bands. Nothing stops completely on the coast, but it sure slows down a lot. With the mythical Humboldt State University student back home in San Diego showing off his or her new Bernie Sanders shirt and unwashed hair, it can be hard for local bands to draw decent crowds. Fortunately for us, this doesn't stop many of them from trying. Festival season is behind us, but with drought and local infernos blazing, the inland evacuees may provide a captive (and paying) audience until the students return.

Thursday

The Eureka Concert Series continues at the C Street Market Square at 6 p.m. with a free concert from San Franciscan **Tom Rigney and Flambeau**. The Cajun sounds will pair nicely with the vague barbecue smell hovering in the air.

A little after that, doors open at the Arcata Playhouse as a local returns home. **Carrie Ferguson**, who has been living in Massachusetts, was born and raised in Arcata and returns for a rare performance at her old stomping grounds. She will be joined by, and later joining, friends **The Gaslight Tinkers**, who are billed as "Afro-Celtic-funk." Imagine combining the films *Waking Ned Devine* and *Cool Runnings* with a focus on John Candy's character in the latter film. I can't imagine any other band providing the soundtrack. Tickets for the 7 p.m. show are \$15 for this show with those under 16 get in for free.

Catnip Tea, a band not afraid to stretch out musically and let its somewhat gently psychedelic sound wash over you, will be at the Jambalaya at 9 p.m., winning the coveted "\$5 and Under Award."

At 7 p.m. at the Fortuna Library (that's the building with all the books) **Silk Road**

Junction 101 provides an evening of traditional music featuring "South Asian table drums, Japanese koto and flute." The show is free. Both musicians in the duo hold doctorates in music, and let's just hope they're smart enough to slip in a Merle Haggard cover or two.

Friday

The indie rockers of **Be Brave Bold Robot** once again leave their home in the state capital and join us here in Humboldt County. Although unaffiliated with the red graffiti bearing their moniker that used to plague downtown Arcata years ago, this band has played Humboldt enough to leave a less tangible (and more pleasing) mark on our area. It joins locals **The Trouble** for \$5 at the Palm Lounge at 9 p.m.

Some of the casinos see covers and undercovers. Humboldt's very own Beatles tribute band **Silver Hammer** reminds you that good music never dies at the Blue Lake Casino for free at 9 p.m., while also-locals **The Undercovers** play the Bear River Casino at the same time, also free. Choose wisely.

The Arcata Playhouse hosts **Supermule**, which, I am told, mixes bluegrass (uptight dance music) with funk/soul (laid-back dance music). Just watching Arcatans attempt to dance to this will be worth the ticket price (\$15, \$13 members). This seven-piece kicks off the potential kinetic hilarity at 8 p.m.

Saturday

Speaking of large ensembles that provide music to showcase our lack of dancing skills, catch local 10-piece **Motherlode** for free at the Arcata Farmer's Market starting at 10 a.m. Bob your head and shake your organic produce while that guy (you know who I'm talking about) gyrates awkwardly out of time in front of you.



WHO: Carrie Ferguson

WHEN: Thursday, Aug. 13 at 7 p.m.

WHERE: Arcata Playhouse

TICKETS: \$15, free kids 15 and under

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The Absynth Quartet plays a free show with **Be Brave Bold Robot** at the Logger Bar in Blue Lake around 9 p.m. and thusly receives the "\$5 and under award" for the evening.

The Sanctuary has local duo **The Belles of Levee** performing with out-of-towner **Quinn Deveaux** at 8 p.m. After checking out a music video by Quinn for his song "Left this Town," I hope he'll come back someday. I also hope that if they ever make "O Brother, Where Art Thou Part II," they'll give him a call. Admission is \$5-\$20 sliding scale.

The Jambalaya sees the members of **The Dusty Green Bones Band** after their stint at the Trinity River Jamboree. They'll be on around 10 p.m. (price TBA) and they have a banjo. For you insomniacs, Humboldt Free Radio Presents local "skate rockers" **Imperial Destructo** with the Portland punkers of **Toim** at the Alibi. Doors at 11 p.m., \$5 to get in, 21-and-over.

Sunday

If you don't mind a bit of wine with your jazz, the Morris Graves Museum of Art has both with the **Opera Alley Cats** from 3 to 5 p.m. Also in Eureka, at Lil' Red Lion Cocktail Lounge, you can hear **Catheter**, **Ignit** and **Laughing Dog**, all of which are billed as "loud." Bring earplugs, but don't be so uncool as to actually use them.

Should you have missed **Be Brave Bold Robot** earlier in the week, catch 'em at the Sanctuary in Arcata with **Lyndsey**

Battle and John Ludington starting at 7:30 p.m. A sliding scale is mentioned as "\$5-\$20," but I don't believe they'll turn down your Benjamin.

Monday

For you high rollers, the eclectic **Watkins Family Hour** will be at the Van Duzer Theater featuring members of Nickle Creek (too often associated with Nickleback) and Fiona Apple's band. Tickets are \$36 for this 8 p.m. show.

Tuesday

My second favorite band that my wife is in, **Electro Saloon**, plays a free show at Siren's Song Tavern in Eureka at 9 p.m. They open for **Roselit Bone**, a West Coast Country band from Portland, \$3 suggested donation (full disclosure: I get none of it). A few blocks away local songsmith and storyteller **Anna Hamilton** is at the Palm Lounge doing her thing at 7 p.m., for free. It'll be nice. It's a good room and has a full bar. Don't ask about the swimming pool.

Etc.

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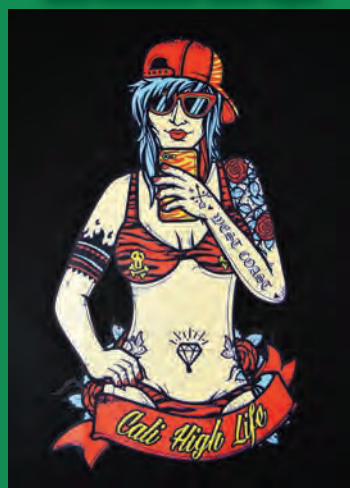
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THE ALIBI 822-3731 744 Ninth St., Arcata			Imperial Destructo, Toim (skate rock, punk) 11pm \$5		
ARCATA PLAYHOUSE 1251 Ninth St., 822-1575	Carrie Ferguson and the Gaslight Tinkers (folk, Caribbean) 7pm \$15	Supermule (bluegrass, funk) 8pm \$15, \$13			
ARCATA THEATRE LOUNGE 1036 G St., 822-1220				Brave (film) 6pm \$5, All Ages	[W] Sci-Fi Night ft. <i>Beast from Haunted Cave</i> 7:30pm Free w/\$5 food/bev, All Ages
BLONDIES 822-3453 420 E. California Ave., Arcata	Open Mic 7pm Free			Jazz Night 7pm Free	[M] Quiz Night 7pm Free [T] Human Expression Night 7pm Free [W] Local Music Showcase 7pm Free
BLUE LAKE CASINO WAVE LOUNGE 668-9770 777 Casino Way	Karaoke w/KJ Leonard 8pm Free	Silver Hammer (Beatles tribute) 9pm Free	NightHawk (dance hits) 9pm Free	Karaoke w/KJ Leonard 8pm Free	
CAFE MOKKA 822-2228 495 J St., Arcata		Good Company (Celtic) 8pm Free			
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FIREWATER LOUNGE 677-3611 27 Scenic Drive, Trinidad		Uptown Kings (blues) 9pm Free	Backstreet (rock and roll) 9pm Free	Karaoke w/Chris Clay 8pm Free	[T] Karaoke w/Chris Clay 8pm Free
CLAM BEACH INN 839-0545 4611 Central Ave., McKinleyville		Kindred Spirits (bluegrass) 10pm Free			
FLDDBROOK FAMILY MARKET 4636 Fieldbrook Road, 839-0521		Good Time Rounders (hillbilly rock) 7:30pm Free	Shining Star (A Benefit for Star Smelter) 2pm-9pm Free		
THE FORKS 38998 Hwy. 299, Willow Creek 530-629-2679			The Movers and The Shakers (funk, blues, rock) 8pm Free		
HUMBOLDT BREWS 826-2739 856 10th St., Arcata		Phish Webcast 4pm Free	Phish Webcast 4pm Free	Phish Webcast 4pm Free	
HUMBOLDT MACHINE WORKS 937 10th St., Arcata, 826-WINE	Roots & Culture Reggae 9pm Free				[W] Salsa! (lessons + dance) 9pm \$5
HUMBOLDT STATE UNIVERSITY 1 Harpst St., Arcata 826-3928					[M] Van Duzer: Watkins Family Hour (roots, folk) 8pm \$36, \$10
JAMBALAYA 822-4766 915 H St., Arcata	Catnip Tea (psych) 10pm \$5	Bizzare Bazaar and Galactic Terrapin 10pm \$5	Dusty Green Bones Band (newgrass) 10pm TBA	DGS Sundaze (EDM DJs) 9pm \$5	[M] The GetDown (funk) 9pm [T] Savage Henry Comedy 8pm \$5 [W] The Whomp (DJs) 9pm \$5



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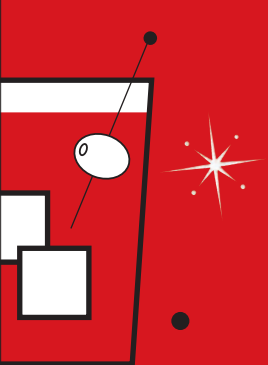


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LIBATION 825-7596 761 Eighth St., Arcata	Claire Bent (jazz) 7pm Free	Duane Isaacson (jazz guitar) 6pm Free	Jim Silva (guitar) 7pm Free		[T] Buddy Reed (blues) 7pm Free
LOGGER BAR 668-5000 510 Railroad Ave., Blue Lake	Trivia Night 8pm Free	Kaptain Kirk's Kosmic Koncoction 9pm Free	Absynth Quartet w/Be Brave Robot (indie, acoustic) 9pm Free	Potluck (food) 6pm Free	
MAD RIVER BREWERY 668-5680 101 Taylor Way, Blue Lake	The Delta Nationals (classic American) 6pm Free	The M Notes (electric acoustic) 6pm Free	For Folk Sake (folk) 6pm Free		[T] Dog Day Afternoon (adoptable dogs and jazz w/Dogbone) 5pm Free [W] Pints for Pride w/DJ Goldylocks 11am-9pm
NORTHTOWN COFFEE 633-6187 1603 G St., Arcata	Trivia Night 7pm Free	Open Mic w/Jeremy Bursich 7pm Free			
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REDWOOD CURTAIN BREW 550 South G St. #6, Arcata 826-7222	Raising Grain (bluegrass) 8pm Free		Diggin' Dirt (reggae, funk, soul) 8pm Free		[M] Trivia Night 7pm Free [W] Pints for Nonprofits -Breast and GYN Health Project noon-midnight
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SIX RIVERS BREWERY 839-7580 Central Ave., McKinleyville			Jimi Jeff Unplugged (blues, R&B) 9pm Free	Trivia Night 8pm Free	[M] Karaoke w/DJ Marv 8pm Free [T] Sunny Brae Jazz 7:30pm Free [M] Anemones of the State (jazz) 5pm Free
SUSHI SPOT 839-1222 1552 City Center Road, McK.					
THE SANCTUARY 1301 J St., Arcata 822-0898		Mary Goldwater Art Retrospective w/music by Tim Randles 6pm Free	Quinn Deveaux, Belles of the Levee (soul, R&B) 8pm \$5-\$20 sliding	Lyndsey Battle, John Ludington, Be Brave Bold Robot (folk) 7:30pm \$5-\$20	
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BEAR RIVER CASINO 733-9644 11 Bear Paws Way, Loleta	Karaoke w/Chris Clay 8pm Free	The Undercovers (classic rock, hits) 9pm Free	The Uptown Kings (blues) 9pm Free		
BENBOW INN 923-2124 445 Lake Benbow Drive, Benbow	Paco Martin and Friends (Latin music) 6:30pm Free	Paco Martin and Friends (Latin music) 6:30pm Free			[W] Paco Martin and Friends (Latin music) 6:30pm Free
C STREET MARKET SQUARE Foot of C Street, Eureka	Tom Rigney & Flambeau (Cajun rock and blues) 6pm Free				
CALICO'S CAFE 923-2253 808 Redwood Drive, Garberville			Frisky Brisket (violin, guitar) 7pm Free	Jen Tal and The HuZBand (acoustic) 6:30pm Free	
CHAPALA CAFÉ 443-9514 201 Second St., Eureka		The Tumbleweeds (cowboy) 6-8pm Free	The Tumbleweeds (cowboy) 6-8pm Free		
CURLEY'S FULL CIRCLE 786-9696 460 Main St., Ferndale					[W] Open Mic 7pm Free
EMPIRE LOUNGE 415 Fifth St. 798-6498	Empire Open Mic 9:30pm Free				[W] Karaoke at the Cantina 6pm \$2 All Ages
EUREKA INN PALM LOUNGE 518 Seventh St., 497-6093		The Trouble, Be Brave Bold Robot (acoustic indie rock) 9pm \$5			[M] Brian Post and Friends (jazz) 9pm Free [T] Anna Hamilton w/Bill (blues comedy) 8pm Free [W] Comedy Open Mikey 9pm Free
EUREKA VETERANS HALL 1018 H St., 443-5341				Catheter, IGNI, Laughing Dog and Scar Agenda (metal) 7pm \$5, All Ages	
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GALLAGHER'S IRISH PUB 139 Second St., Eureka 442-1177	Seabury Gould and Evan Morden (Irish) 6pm Free	Pappa Paul (folk) 6pm Free	Dale Winget (vocals, guitar) 6pm Free		
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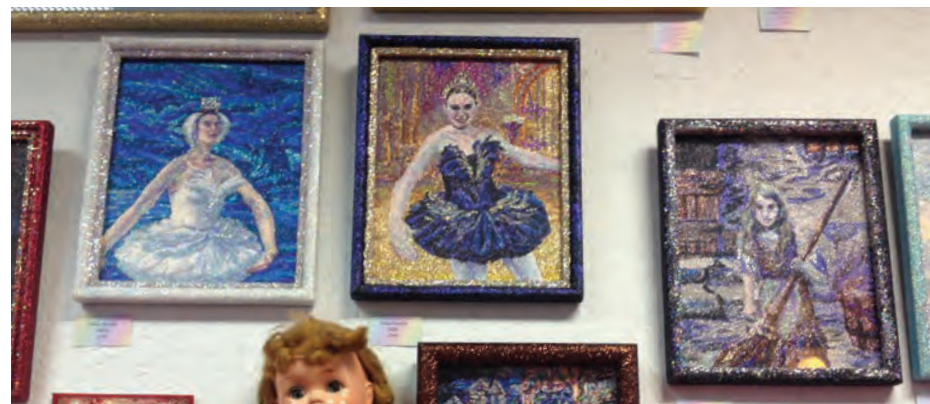
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August is a disunited month in a college town. Summer's heat may have reached its peak, but minds are already shifting back to school. Many galleries take an August break to prepare for the fall season's September kickoff. However, this month two local businesses feature one-woman shows worth your while.

Cool off with dynamic visions of the Trinity Alps by watercolor specialist Lauren Lester at the Plaza Grill. Or ratchet up the heat by taking in Seana Burden's tiny, glittery paintings, which are squeezed salon-style into the narrow confines of Bang! Bang! Vintage in a claustrophobic but highly effective display. Why not do both? It's less than a five-minute walk, and the shows could not be less alike.

Lester's skillfully executed watercolors depict places in the Northern California wilderness. Titles indicate that most are places the artist has personally visited and sketched. Some depict points in the Trinity Alps or even more proximate peaks. There is one small, beautiful view of nearby Horse Mountain on a snowy morning. Quite a few works show scenic passages of the John Muir Trail, a route that winds some 200 miles through the wild heart of the Sierra Nevada. These are places far from any road, accessible only by several days' journey on foot. In other words, the views are genuinely rare.

These are emphatic watercolors. Lester



SEANA BURDEN AT BANG! BANG! PHOTO BY GABRIELLE GOPINATH

uses a wide range of contrast, and she wields an active, energetic line. Brushstrokes that look like expressionistic passages of pigment at close range snap into focus and acquire a startling reality when seen from greater distance. Mountains seem dynamic, and their granite forms convey a coiled energy. They make you think about the potential force in the hearts of rocks. David Rains Wallace wrote that rocks in the Klamath Mountains are "athletic rocks, at times prankish," and you could say the same of the ones in these pictures.

Lester's compositions emphasize the weird, fleeting moments when our view of nature organizes itself into symmetry — a symmetry that always impresses us, *deus ex machina*, as though following some mysteriously ordained plan. She shows us peaks whose pyramidal forms are doubled in the glassy surface of the lakes beneath them and chevron-shaped cloud formations that replicate the shape of a river's two banks with uncanny precision. Her subjects reveal an affinity for sights that blur boundaries between the terms "nature" and "culture."

On H Street a block away, Seana Burden's work reflects an entirely different sensibility. Burden's show presents dozens of small- to medium-sized works executed in a raw, primitive technique, using glitter-saturated paint. Themes are drawn from teen and pre-teen girl culture; subject matter can be delightfully weird. Still lives represent ice cream cones and lollipops. Portraits depict beloved dogs and cats frolicking in tall grass, autumn leaves, and snow; sparkly cottages that would be too quaint for Thomas Kinkade bear titles like "Castle on a Cloud" and "Garden of Serenity." Characters from the ballet *The Nutcracker* play a major role in this fantasy world, as do Glinda the Good Witch, Cosette from *Les Misérables*, John Lennon, Sid Vicious and Joey Ramone. It's a cosmically misaligned, yet logical mash-up universe of good girls and bad boys.

Among the paintings, Burden has scattered manipulated photographs in personalized, Christmas-themed, poinsettia-patterned cardboard mats of the sort you can order from Walgreens or CVS. Burden smiles out of these photographs

wearing her holiday best, arms wrapped around an impressive inventory of fantasy boyfriends whose common denominator is the fact that they are all dead actors and musicians. The titles are printed in florid script on the cardboard frames: "Seana Burden and Heath Ledger," "Seana Burden and Elvis Presley," "Seana Burden and Kurt Cobain," "Seana Burden and Michael Jackson," "Seana Burden and Joey Ramone." You get the picture. The *piece de résistance* features Burden posing in a red dress with her own mirror-image dopelgänger.

The show evokes a dream of eternal pre-adolescence that is as memorable as it is disturbing. It evokes the world of a creative, sheltered 12-year old on the cusp of adolescence — an age when ballerinas can still be heroines, while boyfriends remain romantic abstractions. The paintings can evoke the glittery celebrity portraits made by French photography duo Pierre et Gilles, and their over-the-top investment in decoration recalls the queer, Catholic art of Thomas Lanigan-Schmidt. However, when her work is contrasted with these other artists', Burden's fanhood appears less self-conscious, and thus arguably more perfect.

Is this camp? Do the paintings possess a sly self-critical dimension? I don't notice one. But I also don't know that this question is entirely answerable. Burden is a noted presence at local arts events, where she has been known to appear the way she does in her self-portraits: dusted with glitter, wearing slippers and a tutu, like a fairy ballerina. This performance seems like a way to publicize the artist's identification with the pictures' persona.

The art world's tradition of male privilege has meant that, historically, men's fantasy worlds were deemed deep, cool and worthy of exploration, while women's fantasy worlds have often been dismissed as narcissistic and trivial. But if you're prepared to take the intensely idiosyncratic personal mythologies of blue-chip artists like Matthew Barney seriously, then you should afford Burden the same consideration.

Both shows remain up throughout August.

Sequoia Park Zoo's annual **Zootini** fundraiser this **Saturday, Aug. 15** from **4 to 8 p.m.** lets you get up close and personal with all manner of wildlife. Sip an Eagletini, Red Pandarita or Otter Whisker Sour as you hobnob with humans and animals alike. Enjoy a gourmet dinner, live music and see the zoo's new exhibits and latest animal arrivals (\$85, \$75 members).



Gather with others for an evening of commemoration, music and poetry at the **Lantern Floating Ceremony** at **Klopp Lake** in the **Arcata Marsh** **Saturday, Aug. 15** from **7:30 p.m. until 10 p.m.** The event honors the victims of the World War II Hiroshima and Nagasaki bombings and serves as an occasion for the community to rededicate itself to the cause of peace. Lanterns will be launched at dusk (free).

Join friends and family of local Navy SEAL Kevin Ebbert at the **Kevin Ebbert Memorial Trail Run** in **Arcata Redwood Park and Community Forest** on **Saturday Aug. 15** at **9 a.m.** Proceeds for the 2 mile and 10k(+) runs are donated to Climb for the Fallen, which serves to "empower families and children of the fallen through outdoor experience" (\$5-\$25).



8 DAYS A WEEK

13 thursday

ART

Figure Drawing Group. 7-9 p.m. Cheri Blackerby Gallery, 272 C St., Eureka. Chip in for the live model and hone your artistic skills. Go into the courtyard on C Street to the room on the right. \$5. 442-0309.

BOOKS

Thursday Afternoon Book Club. Second Thursday of every month, 12-1 p.m. Humboldt County Library, 1313 Third St., Eureka. Fun and lively discussion group focusing on adult fiction and nonfiction. Call ahead for upcoming titles. Free. www.humlib.org. 269-1905.

MUSIC

Carrie Ferguson and the Gaslight Tinkers. 7 p.m. Arcata Playhouse, 1251 Ninth St. Arcata-born singer-songwriter returns to play original folk. Joined by the Gaslight Tinkers and their Afrobeat/Caribbean music. \$15, kids 16 and under free.

Silk Road Junction 101. 7-8:30 p.m. Fortuna Library, 753 14th St. An evening of traditional music featuring South Asian table drums, Japanese koto and flute. Free. forhuml@co.humboldt.ca.us. 725-6731.

Summer Concert Series. 6 p.m. C Street Market Square, Foot of C Street, Eureka. Open-air music on Eureka's waterfront. Tom Rigney & Flambeau (Cajun rock and blues) Free. www.eurekamainstreet.org.

Women Singing in Harmony. 6-8 p.m. Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints, 2806 Dolbeer St., Eureka. A cappella chorus singing four-part harmony. All voice parts welcome. Drop by to listen or sing. Free. 601-8219.

World Beats. Every other Thursday, 6-7:30 p.m. Bob Olofson, 212 14th St., Eureka. African-influenced drumming. All levels welcome and some instruments available. \$5 to \$10, no one turned away. rwolofson@

sbcglobal.net. 444-8764.

THEATER

Always A Bridesmaid. 8 p.m. North Coast Repertory Theatre, 300 Fifth St., Eureka. Four friends keep their prom-night promise to be in each other's weddings — no matter what. \$16, \$12 regular shows, see www.ncrt.net for special show pricing.

Legally Blonde, The Musical. 8-10:30 p.m. Ferndale Repertory Theater, 447 Main St. Based on the movie about the transformation of Elle Woods as she tackles stereotypes, snobbery and scandal. \$18, \$5. info@ferndale-rep.org. www.ferndalerep.org. 786-5483.

EVENTS

Sumeg Village Day. Noon-2 p.m. Patrick's Point State Park, 4150 Patrick's Point Drive, Trinidad. Enjoy a number of attractions including hot rock cooking, Sumeg Village tours and Yurok storytelling. Bring a bag lunch if you would like more to eat than the traditional acorn soup. Free. 677-3840.

Community Board Game Night. Second Thursday of every month, 7-9 p.m. Bayside Grange Hall, 2297 Jacoby Creek Road. Play your favorite games or learn new ones with North Coast Role Playing. Free. ossIncrp@northcoast.com. www.baysidegrange.org. 444-2288.

FOR KIDS

Pre-School Storytime. 10-10:45 a.m. Trinidad Library, 380 Janis Court. Listen to stories and songs every Thursday morning. Different themes every week. Free. kmullen@co.humboldt.ca.us. 677-0227.

Young Discoverers. 10:30 a.m.-noon Discovery Museum, 612 G St., Eureka. Stories, crafts, songs and dance for children ages 3-5. Space is limited, so call ahead. \$5, \$3 members. redwooddiscoverymuseum@gmail.com. discovery-museum.org. 443-9694.

FOOD

Henderson Center Farmers Market. 10 a.m.-1 p.m. Henderson near F Street, Eureka. Fresh local produce, straight from the farmer. www.humfarm.org. 441-9999.

McKinleyville Farmers' Market. 3:30-6:30 p.m. McKinleyville Safeway Shopping Plaza, Central Avenue. Locally grown fruits, vegetables, plants, meats and other wonderful products. Music by Jeff Kelly.

North Coast Stand Down Dinner. 7 p.m. Blue Lake Casino, 777 Casino Way. Annual fundraiser and auction benefiting the veterans' services organization. \$35 in advance, \$280 sponsor table. www.ncsd.vet. 442-4322.

MEETINGS

Humboldt Grange 501 Potluck. Second Thursday of every month, 6:30 p.m. Humboldt Grange Hall, 5845 Humboldt Hill Road, Eureka. Grange Women's Auxiliary meets at 6 p.m., potluck at 6:30 p.m., Grange meeting 7:30 p.m. nanettespearschade@gmail.com. www.facebook.com/humboldt.grange. 443-0045.

OUTDOORS

Oyster Shuck'n Cruise. 7 p.m. C Street Market Square, Foot of C Street, Eureka. Enjoy Kumamotos on the half-shell while learning about the history, importance and growth process of oysters. \$25.

ETC

Sip and Knit. 6 p.m. NorthCoast Knittery, 320 Second St., Eureka. Join fellow knitters, crocheters, weavers, spinners and fiber artists to socialize and work on projects. 442-9276.

Standard Magic Tournament. 6-10 p.m. NuGames Eureka, 1662 Myrtle Ave. #A. Put your deck to the test. \$5. nugamesonline@gmail.com. www.nugamesonline.com. 497-6358.

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ART

Mary Goldwater Retrospective. 6-9 p.m. The Sanctuary, 1301 J St., Arcata. A look at the artist's work and jazz

piano by Tim Randles. Free. thesanctuary.arcata@gmail.com. www.thesanctuaryarcata.com. 822-0898.

Arts! Arcata. Second Friday of every month, 6-9 p.m. Arcata Plaza, Ninth and G streets. Art, music and more art. Downtown Arcata and surrounding area. Free. info@arcatamainstreet.com. www.arcatamainstreet.com. 822-4500.

BOOKS

Book Reading. 7-8 p.m. Old Town Coffee & Chocolates, 211 F St., Eureka. Author Tony Kriz reads from his book *Aloof*. Free. www.oldtowncoffeereureka.com. 445-3500.

DANCE

World Dance. 8 p.m. St. Alban's Episcopal Church, 1675 Chester Ave., Arcata. Humboldt Folk Dancers sponsor teaching and request dancing. \$3. g-b-deja@sbcglobal.net. www.stalbansarcata.org. 839-3665.

LECTURE

Both Sides of the Bluff. 7 p.m. Humboldt Grange Hall, 5845 Humboldt Hill Road, Eureka. Jerry Rohde presents this historical look at how the Eel River Valley connected with Humboldt Bay, and the routes and towns that sprang up in the area. Free.

Mountain Meadow Restoration. 7:30-9 p.m. Eureka High School Lecture Hall, Corner of Humboldt and K streets. Karen Pope discusses the restoration of degraded meadows in the Sierra Nevada. Free. www.rras.org/calendar.html.

MUSIC

Supermule. 8 p.m. Arcata Playhouse, 1251 Ninth St. Bluegrass meets funk/soul in this seven piece super band from the Bay Area. \$15, \$13.

THEATER

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Gray Pride

The truth is out there. Sometimes it's so out there that it happens in **Bridgeville**. Things get spacey this **Saturday, Aug. 15** from **10 a.m. to 5 p.m.**, as **BridgeFest**, the town's annual flying floppy festival welcomes you and 50 (or more) shades of grays to the wackiest party this side of Solaris. Does anybody own this town? 'Cause the good folks who live there pretty much do what they want. Like dress up as Flying Purple People Eaters and sling saucers off the town bridge.

The festival features the universally renowned **Intergalactic Flying Saucer Trials**, a **Dirt Bag Muster** and the **My Favorite Alien costume contest** where "replica specialists" make replicas of people (don't worry, it's nothing like *The Fly* — we don't think). Earthlings and Others can peruse the **arts and crafts fair** on the old historic bridge. Diminutive humanoids can stay out of everyone's antennae in the **Kids' Zone**, and all beings can get their interplanetary groove on to the stellar tunes of **Knights of the Van Duzen, Melange, Jenni & David and the Sweet Soul Band, The Hunz at Golden Gate and Stillwater**. If Soylent Green isn't your cup of tea, you can snack on burgers, hotdogs, chicken, corn on the cob, blueberry pie and other treats courtesy of the Bridgeville Volunteer Fire Department. There's something for everyone, but please no dogs. Leave Astro at home (not in the ship — it's August in SoHum). Parking and admission is free. So get out there and swap conspiracy theories with others who want to believe. If you haven't been to this space-themed shindig, do yourself a favor and go. Seriously, what would Mulder do?

— Kali Cozyris

Mary Poppins. 7:30 p.m. Van Duzer Theatre, Humboldt State University, Arcata. A singing, dancing adventure with the original Supernanny, her chimney sweeping pal and a spoonful of sugar. \$13-\$19. www.hloc.org. 630-5013. **Twelfth Night (or What You Will).** 7 p.m. Redwood Park, top of 14th Street, Arcata. The Bard's comedy that has it all: shipwrecks, missing twins, mistaken identifies, action, romance and even a bit of singing. Part of the Ink People's Plays in the Park. \$12, \$10 advance.

EVENTS

HumDog CPE Agility Trials. 2-5 p.m. Bomber Field, Redwood Acres, Eureka. TBA.

FOR KIDS

Baby Read and Grow. Every other Friday, 11-11:45 a.m. Humboldt County Library, 1313 Third St., Eureka. Families are invited to share songs, fingerplays and short stories. Free. www.humlib.org. 269-1910.

FOOD

Garberville Farmers Market. 11 a.m.-3 p.m. Garberville Town Square, Church Street. Local farm-fresh produce, meats, cheeses, baked goods and other specialty foods. EBT, Cal-Fresh and WIC accepted. SoHumFM@Yahoo.com. 786-9460.

SPORTS

BMX Friday. 4:30-6:30 p.m. Redwood Empire BMX, 3750 Harris St., Eureka. Bring your bike for BMX practice and racing. Wear long sleeves and pants. \$2 practice, \$5

ribbon race. 407-9222.

Monster X Tour Trucks. 7:30-10 p.m. Redwood Acres Racetrack, 3750 Harris St., Eureka. 10,000-pound, car-crushing giants compete in racing, wheelie contests and freestyle action. Meet drivers and ride a real monster truck at the pre-event Autograph Pit Party at 6 p.m. with Pit Pass. \$19 advance, \$10 kids advance, \$25 VIP. www.Monstertour.com. 480-773-6822.

Public Skating. 6:30-9:30 p.m. Fortuna Firemen's Pavilion, 9 Park St. Have a blast and get some exercise at the same time. \$5.

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ART

Lantern Making. 9 a.m.-1:30 p.m. Arcata Plaza, Ninth and G streets. Build lanterns during the Arcata Farmer's Market for the annual Lantern Floating Ceremony. Tables and supplies provided. Free.

Quilt Turning. 1-3 p.m. Clarke Historical Museum, Third and E streets, Eureka. Redwood Empire Quilt Guild member Ruth Curatolo conducts a quilt turning presentation at the museum. www.clarkemuseum.org. 443-1947.

MOVIES

Hitler on Trial. 2 p.m. Humboldt County Library, 1313

Third St., Eureka. A BBC-produced World War II-related drama featuring a young lawyer who dares to cross-examine Adolf Hitler in a Berlin courtroom in 1931. Part of Humboldt County Library's August World War II film series. Free. www.humlib.org.

MUSIC

Quinn Deveaux, Belles of the Levee. 8-11 p.m. The Sanctuary, 1301 J St., Arcata. Soul, R&B. \$5-\$20 sliding. thesanctuary.arcata@gmail.com. www.quinndeveaux.com. 834-2957.

THEATER

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Twelfth Night (or What You Will). 7 p.m. Redwood Park, top of 14th Street, Arcata. See Aug. 14 listing.

EVENTS

BridgeFest. 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Bridgeville, Highway 36, 24 miles east of Highway 101. Out-of-this-world pies and baked goods, music, a kids zone and flying saucer contest at the 19th annual event. Free. cfrenzel@humboldt.k12.ca.us. www.bridgevillecommunitycenter.org. 777-1775.

Arcata Lantern Floating Ceremony. 7:30 p.m. Arcata Marsh and Wildlife Sanctuary, South I Street. Commemorate departed loved ones, honor ancestors and cultures with poetry, music and lantern floating at sunset. Free.

Dow's Prairie Grange Breakfast and Flea Market. Third

Saturday of every month, 8:30 a.m. Dows Prairie Grange Hall, 3995 Dows Prairie Road, McKinleyville. Enjoy pancakes, eggs and browsing knick knacks. Flea market ends at 3 p.m. \$5, \$3 for kids. dowsgrange@gmail.com. www.dowspairiegrange.org. 840-0100.

HumDog CPE Agility Trials. 7:30 a.m.-5 p.m. Bomber Field, Redwood Acres, Eureka. See Aug. 14 listing.

Kevin Ebbert Memorial Trail Run. 9 a.m.-noon. Redwood Park, top of 14th Street, Arcata. The course includes a two-mile walk or run through the community forest and a 10k+ challenging trail run. Visit www.healthsport.com for more information or to register. \$10 (register only), \$25 (w/T-shirt), \$5 (16 & under). run@healthsport.com. 822-3488.

Zootini. 4-8 p.m. Sequoia Park Zoo, 3414 W St., Eureka. Sequoia Park Zoo's annual gala fundraiser features music, auctions, a raffle, animal encounters and zookeeper talks, a wine pull, bartending service and a dinner catered by Uniquely Yours. \$75 for zoo members, \$85 for non-members. rory@sequoiaparkzoo.net. www.sequoiaparkzoo.net. 442-5649.

FOR KIDS

Drop-In Board Games. Third Saturday of every month, 10 a.m.-5 p.m. McKinleyville Library, 1606 Pickett Road. Get your game on with the library's collection or bring in one of your favorites to share. Free. mckhuml@co.humboldt.ca.us. 839-4459.

Young Inventors' Club. Third Saturday of every month, 10:30 a.m.-noon Discovery Museum, 612 G St., Eureka. Hands-on science program with one or more activities planned each month. Free with museum admission. redwooddiscoverymuseum@gmail.com. www.discovery-museum.org. 443-9694.



Eureka! Find it

Do you dream of getting your passport stamped in beautiful ports of call, historic cities and lands of sweeping natural beauty? Has the cost of travel, getting time off, or rounding up someone to watch Fuffy and Fido put that dream on hold? Well, don't give up yet. The folks at the Clarke Museum have rolled out a clever, fun way to satisfy your wanderlust on the relative cheap and get you prizes for your travels. Sign me up, right? Right.

Spend the rest of your summer exploring the historic, artistic and cultural offerings of Eureka and fill up your **Cultural Passport**. Visit four out of the five local participating organizations to have your passport stamped to redeem locally made prizes, such as Cypress Grove cheeses, live theater and movie tickets, restaurant coupons, T-shirts, roasted coffee and more. Explore the area's past at the **Clarke Museum**, hike the picturesque trails and labyrinth at the **Humboldt Botanical Gardens**, take in world-class art and music at the **Morris Graves Museum**, cozy up with the red pandas at the **Sequoia Park Zoo** or take the kids down to the **Discovery Museum** for hands-on fun with technology, science and art. For more about the passport, go to www.clarkemuseum.org or call 443-1947.

— Kali Cozyris

FOOD

Arcata Plaza Farmers Market. 9 a.m.-2 p.m. Arcata Plaza, Ninth and G streets. Fresh vegetables and fruit from local producers, food vendors, plant starts and flowers every week. Live music by Motherlode.

DQ Youth Produce. 9 a.m.-2 p.m. Dream Quest, 100 Country Club Drive, Willow Creek. Dream Quest offers a selection of local, mostly organic produce and more. dreamquestwillowcreek@hotmail.com. www.dreamquestwillowcreek.org. 530.629.3564.

Relive the Sixties. 5 p.m. Mattole Valley Community Center, 29230 Mattole Road, Petrolia. A night of dancing and songs from the '60s featuring DJ music, burgers, wine and beer, drinks and desserts. \$10, \$8 members, \$5 teens, free for kids 13 and under. 629-3430.

Whole Grain Bakery Market. 10 a.m.-3 p.m. Lost Coast Café & Bakery, 468 Main St., Ferndale. Taste and browse baked goods and produce. Under the patio umbrella. Rain cancels. 601-0070.

GARDEN

Eco Garden Tour. 2-4 p.m. Fieldbrook Community Church, 4103 Fieldbrook Road. See food plants adapted to the local climate installed using cutting-edge permaculture and a hugelkultur mound with berry shrubs and native grasses. Ice cream provided. Free. spolly@streamlineplanning.net. www.fieldbrookchurch.com. 839-0143.

OUTDOORS

Arcata Marsh Tour. 2 p.m. Arcata Marsh and Wildlife Sanctuary Interpretive Center, 569 S. G St. Meet a trained guide for a 90-minute walk focusing on the ecology of the marsh. Led by Barbara Reisman. Free. 826-2359.

Audubon Society Arcata Marsh Tour. 8:30-11 a.m. Arcata Marsh and Wildlife Sanctuary, South I Street. Bring your binoculars and have a great morning birding. Meet the trip leader in the parking lot at the end of South I Street (Klopp Lake) in Arcata, rain or shine. Tour leader Larry Karsteadt. Free. www.rras.org/calendar.

Bird Walk. 8 a.m. Southern Humboldt Community Park, 934 Sprowl Creek Road, Garberville. Revel in the beauty of the park and its avian inhabitants on this easy 2-to-3 hour walk. All ages and experience levels. No dogs please. Water and a hat with a brim recommended. Free. 943-9786.

Bugs and Beer. 3-5 p.m. Humboldt Coastal Nature Center, 220 Stamps Lane, Manila. Sample local microbrews while learning about bugs and their kin from local expert Peter Haggard. Register by phone or email. \$12, \$10. info@friendsofthedunes.org. 444-1397.

Falk Walk/Talk. 10 a.m.-noon. Headwaters Forest Reserve, End of Elk River Road, 6 miles off U.S. Highway 101, Eureka. Patrick Roskam and Kristi Wrigley share the history of the lumber town and its present-day forest ground. Julie Clark performs several living history presentations along the tour. Free. jdclark@blm.gov. 825-2317.

Humboldt Baykeeper Boat Tour. 9:30-11 a.m. Woodley Island Marina, 601 Startare Drive, Eureka. Climb aboard the Humboldt Bay Harbor, Recreation, and Conservation District's patrol boat for a "Bay Explorations" tour led by docents trained in ecology and history of the bay. In Spanish and English. RSVP. Free. tours@humboldt-baykeeper.org. www.humboldt-baykeeper.org. 825-1020.

Marsh Volunteers. 9 a.m. Arcata Marsh and Wildlife Sanctuary Interpretive Center, 569 S. G St. Help remove non-native plants and trash from the marsh. Meet at the parking lot on South G Street. Gloves, tools, food and beverages will be provided. Wear work clothes and closed-toe shoes or boots. Free. EServices@CityofArcata.org. 825-2163.

SPORTS

Monster X Tour Trucks. 7:30-10 p.m. Redwood Acres Racetrack, 3750 Harris St., Eureka. See Aug. 14 listing.

Public Skating. 6:30-9:30 p.m. Fortuna Firemen's Pavilion, 9 Park St. See Aug. 14 listing.

Redwood Summer Games. 9 a.m. Redwood Area Camp, 2437 Dyerville Loop Rd., Redway. Watch this fun sporting event for people with disabilities and enjoy a tasty barbecue in the redwoods after the games. Free. www.communitycornerstone.org. 923-9248.

ETC

Media Center Orientation. Third Saturday of every month, 10 a.m. Access Humboldt Community Media Center, Eureka High School, Eureka. Learn about the recording studio, field equipment, editing stations and cable TV channels available at Access Humboldt. Free. 476-1798.

Women's Peace Vigil. 12-1 p.m. County Courthouse, 825 Fifth St., Eureka. Dress in warm clothing and bring your own chair. No perfume, please. Free. 269-7044.

Yu-Gi-Oh! Standard League. 1-4 p.m. NuGames Eureka, 1662 Myrtle Ave. #A. Bring your decks and claim your prizes. \$5. nugamesonline@gmail.com. www.nugamesonline.com. 497-6358.

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ART

Art Reception. 1-3 p.m. Arcata Marsh and Wildlife Sanctuary Interpretive Center, 569 S. G St. Reception for artists Paul Rickard and Jody Bryan and their paintings of the Arcata Marsh and Humboldt Bay. Refreshments served. Free. 826-2359.

Trinidad Artisan's Market. 11 a.m.-3 p.m. Trinidad, Downtown. Local artisans present their arts and crafts. Enjoy barbecue and live music by Fabulous Bluejayz at noon. Free.

MOVIES

Brave. 6 p.m. Arcata Theatre Lounge, 1036 G St. A redheaded girl who's into archery defies an age-old custom and discovers the true meaning of bravery. \$5. www.arcatatheatre.com.

MUSIC

Bayside Grange Music Project. 5-9 p.m. Bayside Grange Hall, 2297 Jacoby Creek Road. From 5-7 p.m. anyone playing any instrument with any ability is invited; 7-9 p.m. people with wind instruments for Bandemonium. Donations. gregg@relevantmusic.org. www.relevantmusic.org/Bayside. 442-0156.

Lyndsey Battle, John Ludington. 7:30-11 p.m. The Sanctuary, 1301 J St., Arcata. Enjoy an evening of folk with Lyndsey, John and Be Brave Bold Robot. \$5-\$20 sliding scale.

Summer Music in the Garden. 12-2 p.m. Humboldt Botanical Garden, 7351 Tompkins Hill Road, College of the Redwoods Campus, North Entrance, Eureka. Bring a picnic lunch for an afternoon of everything from classical to jazz and popular favorites. Featuring The Dubbadubs. Free to members, \$5 non-members. www.hbgf.org. 442-5139.

Wine and Jazz. 3-5 p.m. Morris Graves Museum of Art, 636 F St., Eureka. Enjoy wine and music from The Opera Alley Cats. \$5, \$2, Free to MGMA members and children. janine@humboldtarts.org. www.humboldtarts.org. 442-0278.

THEATER

Legally Blonde, The Musical. 2-10:30 p.m. Ferndale Repertory Theater, 447 Main St. See Aug. 13 listing.

Mary Poppins. 2 p.m. Van Duzer Theatre, Humboldt State University, Arcata. See Aug. 14 listing.

The Unprincess. 2 p.m. Redwood Park, top of 14th Street, Arcata. An action-packed comedy about the power of standing up for yourself and others against the powers that be. Part of the Ink People's Plays in the Park. Free.

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FOOD

Food Not Bombs. 5 p.m. Arcata Plaza, Ninth and G streets. Free, hot food for everyone. Mostly vegan and organic and always delicious. Free. (503) 828-7421.

Pancake Breakfast. 8-11 a.m. Mattole Grange, 36512 Mattole Road, Petrolia. All the pancakes you can eat, local fresh eggs, Ferndale Meat Company sausage, coffee or milk. \$8, \$3. evenson@igc.org. 629-3421.

OUTDOORS

Audubon Society Birding Trip. Third Sunday of every month, 9 a.m. Eureka Waterfront, Foot of Del Norte Street. Meet leader Ralph Bucher to scope birds from the public dock, then drive to the Hikshari Trail to bird along the trail through the Elk River Wildlife Sanctuary. Free. thebook@reninet.com. 499-1247.

SPORTS

BMX Practice and Racing. 1-3 p.m. Redwood Empire BMX, 3750 Harris St., Eureka. Bring your bike for BMX fun. Wear long sleeves and pants. \$2 practice, \$11 race. 407-9222. Text REBMX to 33733 for text message alerts.

ETC

Family Game Day. 12-6 p.m. NuGames Eureka, 1662 Myrtle Ave. #A. Bring the family and friends for a day jam-packed with gaming fun. Feel free to bring in your own games. \$3. www.nugamesonline.com. 497-6358.

Redwood Coast Scrabble Club. 1-5 p.m. Arcata Community Center, 321 Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Parkway. Tiles, letters and triple-word scores, oh my! 677-9242.

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DANCE

Friendship Circle Dance. 7-10 p.m. Moose Lodge, 4328 Campton Road, Eureka. Dancing for people in their 50s and older with live music from the 1930s through 1950s. Refreshments served. \$4. 725-5323.

MUSIC

Watkins Family Hour. 8 p.m. Van Duzer Theatre, Humboldt State University, Arcata. Featuring members of Nickle Creek, Fiona Apple and special guests. \$36, \$10.

MEETINGS

Volunteer Orientation. 2:30 p.m. Food for People, 307 W. 14th St., Eureka. Learn to pack and sort food, work with clients, collect donations and cook. panderson@foodforpeople.org.

ETC

Monday Night Magic Draft. 6-10 p.m. NuGames Eureka, 1662 Myrtle Ave. #A. New and seasoned players welcome. \$15. nugamesonline@gmail.com. www.nugamesonline.com. 497-6358.

18 tuesday

MUSIC

The Hooten Hallers. 9 p.m. Willow Creek Golf & Country Club, 333 Big Foot Ave. Hillbilly blues \$5.

Ukulele Play and Sing Group. Third Tuesday of every month. Humboldt Senior Resource Center, 1910 California St., Eureka. All skill levels. Other instruments on approval. Meet first and third Tuesday. Donations of \$1-\$2 appreciated. veganlady21@yahoo.com.

SPOKEN WORD

Human Expression Night. 7 p.m. Blondies Food And Drink, 420 E. California Ave., Arcata. Courtne Burns hosts this night of poetry and creativity. Free. www.blondiesfoodanddrink.com.

FOR KIDS

Playgroup. 10-11:30 a.m. Discovery Museum, 612 G Street, Eureka. Free play for kids 0-5. Regular admission for kids over 5. Free. redwooddiscoverymuseum@gmail.com. www.discovery-museum.org. 443-9694.

Pokemon Trade and Play. 3-6 p.m. NuGames Eureka, 1662 Myrtle Ave. #A. See Aug. 16 listing.

FOOD

Eureka Farmers Market. 10 a.m.-1 p.m. Old Town Gazebo, Second and F streets, Eureka. Fresh, local produce direct from the farmer. Free. 441-9999.

Fortuna Farmers Market. 3-6 p.m. Main Street. Locally grown fruits, veggies and garden plants, plus arts and crafts. Free.

Miranda Farmers Market. 2-6 p.m. Miranda Gardens Resort, 6766 Avenue of the Giants. Pick up produce, baked goods and more right across from the Miranda Gardens Resort. Free. www.facebook.com/Southernhumboldtfarmersmarket.

Shelter Cove Farmers Market. 11 a.m.-3 p.m. Downtown Shelter Cove, Machi Road. Fresh fruits, vegetables, ornamental trees and plants, all with an ocean view. Free. www.facebook.com/Southernhumboldtfarmersmarket.

Wildberries Farmers Market. 3:30-6:30 p.m. Wildberries Marketplace, 747 13th St., Arcata. Locally grown fruits, vegetables, plants, meats and more. Music by Squeeze Bug.

ETC

Bingo. 6 p.m. Moose Lodge, 4328 Campton Road, Eureka. Speed bingo, early and regular games. Doors open at 5 p.m. Games range from \$1-\$10.

Board Game Night. 5-9 p.m. NuGames Eureka, 1662 Myrtle Ave. #A. Choose from a large variety of games or bring your own. All ages. Free. www.nugamesonline.com. 497-6358.

Ferndale Cribbage. 10 a.m. Our Savior's Lutheran Church, 425 Shaw Street, Ferndale. Cards and pegs.

Humboldt Cribbage Club. 6:15 p.m. Moose Lodge, 4328 Campton Road, Eureka. Play cards. 444-3161.

Volunteer Orientation. 6:30-7:30 p.m. SCRAP Humboldt, 101 H St. Suite D, Arcata. Attend SCRAP's monthly volunteer orientation and learn about this nonprofit creative reuse center. Free. volunteer@scraphumboldt.org. scraphumboldt.org/volunteer. 822-2452.

19 wednesday

MOVIES

Sci Fi Night ft. *Beast from Haunted Cave*. 7:30 p.m. Arcata Theatre Lounge, 1036 G St. Screaming young girls are sucked into a labyrinth of horror by a blood-starved ghoul from Hell. Free w/\$5 food or beverage purchase. www.arcatatheatre.com.

EVENTS

Avenues to Wellness Job Fair. 9 a.m.-2 p.m. Fortuna

Community Services, 2331 Rohnerville Road. Find out about services and job opportunities with In-Home Supportive Services, learn about the DHHS Mobile Outreach Vehicle and Transportation Assistance Program and CalFresh/Medi-Cal. Free. 441-4650.

FOR KIDS

Card Games Night. Third Wednesday of every month, 5-8 p.m. McKinleyville Library, 1606 Pickett Road. Play Yugioh, Pokemon and Magic the Gathering. Expert help is available for most events from NuGames. Free. mckhuml@co.humboldt.ca.us. humboldtgov.org/304/McKinleyville-Library. 839-4459.

Read to the Rhythm. 1:30-5 p.m. Rio Dell Library, 715 Wildwood Ave. Drop in for summer reading club and make drums, shakers, rattlers and more. Free.

Storytime. 1 p.m. McKinleyville Library, 1606 Pickett Road. Liz Cappiello reads stories to children and their parents. Free.

FOOD

Free Produce Market. Third Wednesday of every month, 11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m. Fortuna Community Services, 2331 Rohnerville Road. Farmers' market-style produce market for income-eligible people. Free. 445-3166 ext. 308.

GARDEN

Fair Preview of Fine Arts and Flowers. 6:30-8:30 p.m. Humboldt County Fairgrounds, 1250 Fifth St., Ferndale. Ferndale Garden Club hosts this fundraiser for special awards and scholarships. Live music, wine and hors d'oeuvres and a commemorative goblet for the first 100 guests. At the Fine Arts/Red Barn building and Flower Hall. \$15, or 2 for \$25. 786-9185.

MEETINGS

Citizen's Law Enforcement Liaison Committee. Third Wednesday of every month, 4 p.m. County Courthouse, 825 Fifth St., Eureka. Learn more about the Humboldt County Sheriff's Office and ask questions. Free.

Dow's Prairie Grange. Third Wednesday of every month, 6 p.m. Dows Prairie Grange Hall, 3995 Dows Prairie Road, McKinleyville. Get involved in your community Grange. dowsgrange@gmail.com. www.dowspairiegrange.org. 840-0100.

SPORTS

BMX Wednesday Practice and Racing. 4:30-6:30 p.m. Redwood Empire BMX, 3750 Harris St., Eureka. Bring your bike for BMX fun. Wear long sleeves and pants. \$2 practice, \$8 medal race. 407-9222.

ETC

Casual Magic. 4-9 p.m. NuGames Eureka, 1662 Myrtle Ave. #A. Bring your decks and connect with the local Magic community. Beginners welcome. Door prizes and drawings. \$5. www.nugamesonline@gmail.com. www.nugamesonline.com. 497-6358.

20 thursday

ART

Figure Drawing Group. 7-9 p.m. Cheri Blackerby Gallery, 272 C St., Eureka. See Aug. 13 listing.

MUSIC

Humboldt Ukulele Group. Third Thursday of every month, 5:30 p.m. Arcata Community Center, 321 Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Parkway. A casual gathering of strummers. Beginners welcome. \$3. dsanderl@arcatanet.com. 839-2816.

Women Singing in Harmony. 6-8 p.m. Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints, 2806 Dolbeer St., Eureka. See Aug. 13 listing.

EVENTS

Humboldt County Fair. Humboldt County Fairgrounds, 1250 Fifth St., Ferndale. Live and satellite horse racing,

mule racing, carnival rides and games, death-defying stunts, live entertainment, exhibits, livestock events and more. Prices vary. humcofair@frontiernet.net. www.humboldtcountyfair.org. 786-9511.

FOR KIDS

Pre-School Storytime. 10-10:45 a.m. Trinidad Library, 380 Janis Court. See Aug. 13 listing.

Young Discoverers. 10:30 a.m.-noon. Discovery Museum, 612 G St., Eureka. See Aug. 13 listing.

FOOD

Cooking with Commodities and Seasonal Produce. 12-1 p.m. North Coast Co-op, Eureka, 25 Fourth St. Participants will learn how to prepare several delicious, healthy, low-cost meals using food pantry items. Class participants will also get to try a sample of each dish. Free. ccuulps@foodforpeople.org. www.foodforpeople.org. 445-3166 x 305.

Henderson Center Farmers Market. 10 a.m.-1 p.m. Henderson Center, Henderson near F Street, Eureka. See Aug. 13 listing.

McKinleyville Farmers' Market. 3:30-6:30 p.m. McKinleyville Safeway Shopping Plaza, Central Avenue. See Aug. 13 listing.

People's Market. Third Thursday of every month, 12-2 p.m. Food for People, 307 W. 14th St., Eureka. Farmers market-style produce market for income-eligible people. Free. hmchugh@foodforpeople.org. www.foodforpeople.org. 445-3166 ext. 308.

MEETINGS

Humboldt Green Party. 6:30-8:30 p.m. Eureka Labor Temple, 840 E St. Help build a strong third party, free of corporate control. Free. dsilver@greens.org. www.humboldtgreens.org. 267-5342.

ETC

Sip and Knit. 6 p.m. NorthCoast Knittery, 320 Second St., Eureka. See Aug. 13 listing.

Standard Magic Tournament. 6-10 p.m. NuGames Eureka, 1662 Myrtle Ave. #A. See Aug. 13 listing.

Heads Up...

North Coast Repertory Theatre announces auditions for the musical *Das Barbecu* on Sunday, Aug. 16 and Monday, Aug. 17 from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. at NCRT, 300 Fifth Street, Eureka. For more information, call 268-0175. **North Coast Open Studios Art Trails**, a one-weekend open studios event October 24 and 25, is accepting applications for participants. Deadline is Sept. 1 or when the first 50 applications have been received — whichever comes first. For more info, visit www.northcoastopenstudios.com or call 442-8413.

The Humboldt Botanical Garden is commissioning artists to create their interpretation of an Extreme Scarecrow Makeover in whatever new or repurposed medium they prefer. Deadline is Aug. 31. For more information, call 442-5139 or email hbgf@hbgf.org.

Fern Cottage Foundation seeks board members. Please send a letter of intent to Fern Cottage Foundation, P.O. Box 1286, Ferndale, CA 95536. For information, go to www.ferncottage.org.

Ferndale Repertory seeks volunteers: house manager, usher, concession sales and ticket collector. Volunteers are eligible to receive complimentary tickets for their work. Visit www.ferndalerep.org, call 786-5483 or email to info@ferndalerep.org. Deadline is Aug. 31.

Food for People's Children's Summer Lunch Program provides a free sack lunch for children on summer weekdays. For more information, call 445-3166 ext. 309.

Volunteers wanted for Eureka VA clinic. Call 269-7502. **For an application for grand jury service**, call 269-1270 or stop by the Jury Services Office at the Humboldt County Courthouse. Applications online at www.co.humboldt.ca.us/grandjury.

Friends of the Arcata Marsh seeks gently used kids' science books. Call 826-2359.

ARTS! ARCATA

**Second Friday
Arts! Arcata
Aug. 14, 6 to 9 p.m.**

Arts! Arcata is Arcata Main Street's monthly celebration of visual and performing arts, held at various locations throughout the city. Visit www.facebook.com/artsarcata for more information about the event or call 822-4500.

ARCATA ARTISANS 883 H St. Susan Bornstein, paintings; Michael Pierce, ceramics; Jeannie Fierce, mixed media metals.

ARCATA CITY HALL 736 F St. Works of art from the Downstream Designs program; art pieces from youth in the Watershed Warriors program.

ARCATA EXCHANGE 813 H St. Michelle Remmy, mixed media. Music by the Early Music Group. Wine pour benefits EPIC.

BUBBLES 1031 H St. Music by Clean Livin'.

FATBOL CLOTHING 1063 H St. "Fatböl Cyphers," hosted by Nac One with DJ GMG. Hip-hop

emcees and lyricists are welcome to freestyle and recite verses with live DJs. All ages.

FIRE ARTS CENTER 520 S G St. Margo Whitcomb and Uta Uecker, ceramics. Music by Harrison and Brandon.

GALLERY METIER 1034 H St. "Pieces for Pyros," Otto Portillo. Cupcakes by La De Da Sweets. Performances by Sassafras belly dance company. Wine pour benefits Arcata's Breast Health and GYN Project.

HUMBOLDT BREWERY 856 10th St. Matt Brody, oil on canvas

LIBATION WINE BAR AND SHOP 761 Eighth St. #1. "Water & Earth," Annette Makino. Sumi ink and watercolor. Music by Duncan Burgess.

NATURAL SELECTION 708 Ninth St. Stephanie Pyne, acrylics.

PLAZA 808 G St. Anna Sofia Amezcua, acrylic on canvas and panel. Wine pour benefits Devon's Vision (Ink People Project).

REDWOOD CURTAIN BREWERY 550 S G St. Sandoval.

SANCTUARY 1301 J St. "Her Father's Daughter," Mary Goldwater, paintings. Music by Tim Randles.

STOKES, HAMER, KAUFMAN & KIRK, LLP 387 Bayside Road. Leo Stafsnes, plein air paintings; Sanford Pyron, oil paintings. Music by Rick Park. Wine pour benefits the American Cancer Society Relay for Life Team #169.

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Gift and Re-gift

A smart thriller and a Marvel misfire

By John J. Bennett

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Reviews

THE GIFT. I first became aware of actor Joel Edgerton when he starred opposite Tom Hardy in *Warrior* (2011), a brother-versus-brother fighting movie that, so far, hasn't gotten nearly the praise it deserves. After that introduction, I went back and checked out *Animal Kingdom* (2010), an Australian crime family saga that, despite style and guts, left me cold. Since then, I've encountered Edgerton in a number of big-budget Hollywood movies of varying quality, ignorant that all the while he was cooking up this smart, mean, stylish little thriller.

Simon (Jason Bateman) and Robin (Rebecca Hall) are recently relocated to from Chicago to southern California, not far from where he grew up. He's a thriving corporate shill, doing some sort of sales job for some sort of high-tech corporate security firm. They've followed his promotion to their new digs, although there are signals that they left Chicago to put some unpleasantness behind them. Despite that, they seem happy with each other, with their high-end but practical European cars and their newly acquired mid-century glass house on a hill.

While Simon starts at his new office, Robin gets the house in order and works from home for the design company she's left back in Chicago. One weekend, on a shopping trip for housewares, the two of them run into Gordo (Edgerton), apparently an old classmate of Simon's. They make small talk, but afterward Simon claims to hardly remember the guy. Gordo seems

to remember Simon, though, and soon enough he's making unannounced visits to the house, dropping off gifts for Robin and extending dinner invitations. All of which sparks an increasing anger in Simon, which leads to intense anxiety and self-destructive behavior in Robin. Simon breaks off their fledgling friendship with Gordo but things are only beginning to get complicated.

The Gift was produced by Jason Blum, whose Blumhouse imprint primarily traffics in low-budget horror (*Paranormal Activity*, *Insidious*) and may be American independent film's strongest current champion. Because his projects are inexpensive and almost always — sometimes unbelievably — profitable, Blum has the leeway to do just about whatever he wants. Which includes fostering new voices and taking on potentially difficult subjects (he was a producer on last year's acclaimed *Whiplash*), like this one. Edgerton's movie (he wrote and directed), isn't a horror-genre picture in the sense we've come to expect. It has in it very little violence; it doesn't rely on "who's behind the door" shocks. Instead, it cultivates an atmosphere of dread and discomfort, becoming as much a story of domestic unraveling as it is a thriller about past misdeeds. Shot and edited in a deliberate, patient style, *The Gift* takes its time with story, doling out the details we need to stay invested, wanting to learn more. It's a pleasantly unpleasant formula, a movie of a sort we seldom see these days. It's intelligent without being heady, scary without being nasty, and a great opportunity for Bateman in particular to showcase his darker side. Hopefully this is an indication of things to come from Edgerton, because we could use more movies like this, as soon as possible. R. 108m.

FANTASTIC FOUR. When I first heard rumblings about the imminent failure of this last Marvel concoction, I recalled the *John Carter* "debacle" of not too many years ago. Then, as now, I thought, the studios started crying foul before the movie was even released, ham-stringing the poor thing before it could stretch its legs. In that earlier case, it was all pretty unjust: I maintain that *John Carter* really isn't that bad. And after all, *Fantastic 4* was directed by Josh Trank, who kind of blew me away with *Chronicle* (2012). But you can't win 'em all. This time the studio naysayers were right, whether or not they, as Trank would maintain, are in fact responsible. *Fantastic 4* is just about terrible.



JASON BATEMAN HAS EVEN DARKER THINGS IN HIS PAST THAN *TEEN WOLF* TOO.

The movie shows some promise in the early going, introducing us to Reed Richards as boy-genius, developing teleportation technology in his parents' garage. The early scenes evince some sense of atmosphere, of tonal similarity to the rest of the current Marvel universe. As the disconcertingly thin narrative unfolds, though, that atmosphere gives way to a sort of vacuous austerity, an undressed TV-set feeling it can't shake.

Reed, played in early adulthood by Miles Teller, is recruited by Dr. Franklin Storm (Reg Cathey) to join the vaunted Baxter Institute. There, Richards will contribute his research to an ongoing teleportation effort, with the end goal of exploring a parallel universe. He will be joined by the doctor's hot-headed son Johnny (Michael B. Jordan), daughter Sue (Kate Mara), dark genius Victor Von Doom (Toby Kebbell) and Reed's childhood buddy Ben Grimm (Jamie Bell), who doesn't really have any good reason to be there. The group's first attempt at trans-dimensional travel succeeds initially, but quickly goes terribly wrong. All five members of the group find themselves significantly altered by the experience. Some are changed in such a way that they attract the attention of the US government, and are enlisted to do its dirty work. Reed goes on the lam, feeling he must find a way to reunite the group and blah, blah, blah. As much as I hate to say it, *Fantastic Four* really is as bad as everyone says it is. The action takes place in a vacuum, the characters are underdeveloped; it lacks heart, style, humor and anything that would make it enjoyable. PG13. 100m.

— John J. Bennett

Previews

MAN FROM U.N.C.L.E. Guy Ritchie directs Cold War spy shenanigans based on the 1960s TV show. With Henry Cavill and Armie Hammer as partnered American and Russian spooks. PG13. 116m.

RICKI AND THE FLASH. Meryl Streep plays a rock star reconnecting with her ex (Kevin Kline) and grown kids. Also starring Rick Springfield (not a typo). PG13. 101m.

STRAIGHT OUTTA COMPTON. A beat-heavy biopic about N.W.A.'s influential rap pioneers Dr. Dre, Eazy-E and Ice Cube. R. 147m.

Continuing

ANT-MAN. Clever asides and Paul Rudd's likeability and subversive darkness almost distinguish this entertaining comic-book action flick from the rest of the Marvel machine. Supporting sidekick Michael Peña might be a comic genius. PG13. 117m.

INSIDE OUT. Pixar renders our inner lives and the tumult of growing up with clarity, charm, poignancy and humor through the personified emotions of a girl named Riley. With Amy Poehler. PG. 94m.

IRRATIONAL MAN. Joaquin Phoenix plays a miserable intellectual who forms a relationship with his beautiful young student, played by Emma Stone. Surprise! It's a Woody Allen movie. R. 95m.

MR. HOLMES. Ian McKellen plays the mythic detective late in life, combing his memory over an unsolved case with the help of a precocious boy. With Laura Linney and Milo Parker. PG. 105m.

MINIONS. Sandra Bullock and John Hamm lend voices to the *Despicable Me* spin-off starring the goofy, Twinkie-esque henchmen. PG. 91m.

MISSION: IMPOSSIBLE — ROGUE NATION. Cruise and company return with thrilling action (motorcycles! cargo planes!) and an under-developed plot that lacks real danger. PG13. 132m.

PIXELS. Adam Sandler stars in this interplanetary war pic featuring classic arcade game characters. Spoiler alert: Pac-Man's kind of a jerk. PG13. 105m.

SHAUN THE SHEEP. The wordless, woolly, stop-motion hero takes his farm-based escapades to the big city, aided by his flock and pursued by animal control. PG. 86m.

TRAINWRECK. Amy Schumer stars with Bill Hader in this rom com that elevates the genre with funny, flawed leads and precision screwball construction and direction from Judd Apatow. R. 125m.

VACATION. It's true what they say: You can't go home or to Walley World again. An un-funny reboot despite Ed Helms and Christina Applegate. R. 99m.

— Jennifer Fumiko Cahill

MOVIES & EVENTS
 Aug 16 - Aug 19 •

Sun Aug 16 –
BRAVE (2012),
Doors @ 5:30 PM,
Movie @ 6 PM,
Film is \$5, Rated G.

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Lectures

ACTIVE HOPE: HOW TO FACE THIS MESS WE'RE IN WITHOUT GOING CRAZY W/ LYDIA HARU-TOONIAN: Teachings and experiential exercises that stem from Joanna Macy and 50+ years as an international activist. Sunday Aug. 23 at Tosha Yoga in Arcata. Sliding scale \$40-\$80. To register email www.toshayoga@gmail.com (L-0813)

FOUNDATIONS FOR FUNDRAISING Gain a comprehensive overview of nonprofit fundraising. Course 1 in the 4-course New Designs for Fundraising Certificate program. With Guiamar Hiebert. Meets online Aug. 24-Sept. 18. Fee: \$195. To enroll, call HSU College of eLearning & Extended Education at 826-3731 or visit www.humboldt.edu/fundraisingcertificate. (L-0820)

GREEN BUILDING Gain a working knowledge of sustainable residential design. With Solomon Clark & Julian Quick. Thurs., Sept. 10-Nov. 12, 3-4:50 p.m. Fee: \$65. To enroll, call HSU College of eLearning & Extended Education at 826-3731 or visit www.humboldt.edu/extended. (L-0827)

INTRO TO ECOLOGY & SUSTAINABLE TOURISM Learn the history, principles and guidelines that distinguish ecotourism as a means for sustainable economic development and natural resource conservation. Meets online Aug. 24-Dec. 18. Course 1 in a 3-course Ecology & Sustainable Tourism Planning & Management Certificate program. Fee: \$500. To enroll, call HSU College of eLearning & Extended Education at 826-3731 or visit www.humboldt.edu/ecotour. (L-0820)

POETRY: College of the Redwoods offers a class for beginning to intermediate poets this fall. Come learn how to shape your voice, your forms, your ideas. Fridays from 1:00-4:10 pm. Eureka Main Campus. Begins Aug. 28. For more information, go to redwoods.edu or call David Holper @ 476-4370. (L-0813)

50 and Better

OSHER LIFELONG LEARNING INSTITUTE (OLLI). Offers dynamic classes for people age 50 and over. Call 826-5880 or visit www.humboldt.edu/olli to register for classes (O-1225)

POTTERY CLASSES AT FIRE ARTS. Next session Sept 14 - Nov 21. Full listing of classes @ fireartsarcata.com or call 707-826-1445. Sign up today! 520 South G Street in Arcata (50-0813)

HUMBOLDT BOTANICAL GARDEN: HISTORY & FUTURE WITH SUSAN MG TISSOT AND TERRY KRAMER Tues., Aug. 25 from 10 a.m.-12 p.m. Learn about the Humboldt Botanical Garden's history and future direction. Get tips and techniques on rooting media, potting soil, watering, transplanting and growing perennials in containers. OLLI Members \$30/all others add \$25 non-member fee. For more information call OLLI: 826-5880 or visit us online at www.humboldt.edu/olli (O-0820)

Pets & Animals

DOG TRAINING. Puppy class starts Tue., Aug. 18, 6-7 p.m. Basic obedience class starts Tue., Aug. 18, 7-8 p.m. Sign up at the Adorni Center (707) 441-4248, Call 443-1183 for more info. (P-0813)

Spiritual

ARCATA ZEN GROUP MEDITATION. Beginners welcome. **ARCATA:** Sunday 7:55 a.m., Trillium Dance Studio, 855 8th St (next to the Post Office). Dharma talks are offered two Sundays per month at 9:20 a.m. following meditation. For more info. call (707) 826-1701 or visit arcatazengroup.org **EUREKA:** Wed's, 5:55 p.m., First Methodist Church, 520 Del Norte St., enter single story building between F & G on Sonoma St, room 12. For more info. call (707) 845-8399 or visit barryevans9@yahoo.com . (S-0924)

COURSE IN CONSCIOUSNESS Learn the art of meditation through studying the eight limbs of yoga, Vendanta, Jhana Yoga, Shaktipat, and Kundalini Yoga. With David Sandercott. Tues., Sept. 1-Oct. 6, 6-8 p.m. Fee: \$85. To enroll, call HSU College of eLearning & Extended Education at 826-3731 or visit www.humboldt.edu/extended. (S-0827)

COURSE IN CONSCIOUSNESS Meditation Gain greater clarity, happiness, and peace in your life. Register HSU Extened Education www.davidsandercott.com

HUMBOLDT UNITARIAN UNIVERSALIST FELLOWSHIP. We are a diverse congregation welcoming all people. Our mission is to promote personal and spiritual growth as well as a peaceful, sustainable, and socially just world. Come see for yourself on a Sun. morning. 9 a.m. meetings include child care. Children's & teen's Religious Education classes are available during our 11 a.m. meetings. 24 Fellowship Way, off Jacoby Creek Rd., Bayside. (707) 822-3793, www.huuf.org. (S-0827)

ONE DAY MEDITATION RETREAT Community Yoga Center, Sat Aug 22nd 12:15-7pm, Potluck, \$25-50 Sliding Scale, www.davidsandercott.com

OVERCOMING FEARS DISCUSSED AT LIFETREE

CAFÉ How to stop being held back by fear will be explored at Lifetree Café on Sunday, August 16 at 7 p.m. The program, titled "Facing Your Fears: Lessons Learned in the Dark Times,"includes an interview with Nate Trela, who is living sightless in a sighted world. Participants will discuss what fear can do to us, and how to push past fear to live full, joy-filled lives. Lifetree Café is a Free Conversation Café - Snacks and Beverages. Located on the Corner of Union and 13th, Arcata. 707 672 2919 or bobdipert@hotmail.com or www.lifetreecafe.com (S-0813)

SPIRIT TALK WITH REV. DIANE. All are welcome to join Rev. Diane Decker, Minister of Religious Science, for Science of Mind Spiritual Discussion, Meditation and Affirmative Prayer. Gathering every Mon. 7 p.m-8 p.m., Isis Suite 48, Sunny Brae Center. Donations welcome. (707) 502-9217 (S-0827)

TAROT AS AN EVOLUTIONARY PATH. Classes in Eureka, and Arcata. Private mentorships, readings. Carolyn Ayres. 442-4240 www.tarotofbecoming.com (S-0827)

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TRANSMISSION MEDITATION Wednesdays 6-7pm
Isis Osiris Healing Temple 44 Sunny Brae Ctr, Arcata
TransmissionMeditation.org 707-681-9770
(5-0924)

UNITY OF THE REDWOODS. Join us at Unity Church of the Redwoods, where love is felt, truth is taught, lives are transformed, and miracles happen. Services begin each Sun. at 11 a.m. 1619 California St., Eureka. Please stay for snacks and conversation after service. (707) 444-8725 (message), www.unityoftheredwoods.org (5-0827)

Sports & Recreation

BEGINNING ROWING FOR ADULTS Meets Mon, Tues, Thurs. New rowers welcome Monday, Aug 17 Humboldt Bay Rowing Association (707) 845-4752 hbracoach@me.com / www.hbra.org

Therapy & Support

ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS. We can help 24/7, call toll free 1-844 442-0711. (T-0827)

FREE DEPRESSION SUPPORT GROUP. Walk-in support group for anyone suffering from depression. Meet Mon's 6:30 p.m. - 7:45 p.m., at the Church of the Joyful Healer, McKinleyville. Questions? Call (707) 839-5691. (TS-0820)

SEX/ PORN DAMAGING YOUR LIFE & RELATIONSHIPS? Confidential help is available. 825-0920, saahumboldt@yahoo.com or (TS-0827)

SMOKING POT? WANT TO STOP? www.marijuana-anonymous.org (T-0924)

Vocational

INSIGHTS ON FLYER DESIGN FOR SMALL BUSINESSES Wed & Thurs Sept 30th and Oct 1st 1-5PM \$250 College of the Redwoods Community Education 525 D Street Eureka Put your own marketing/ advertising idea for the upcoming holidays into development with this hands-on class. Impress your customers with new skills to tickle their fancy. Call 707-476-4500 to register. (V-0813)

INTERVIEWING & SOFT SKILLS PRACTICE Monday, August 17th, 2015, 3:30pm - 7:00pm, Fee: \$150 College of the Redwoods Community Education Call 476-4500 to register (V-0813)

LEAD SAFETY FOR RENOVATION, REPAIR AND PAINTING 4-Hour Renewal Certification Fri. Sept. 11th, 8:30am - 12:30pm \$295. This 4 hour class provides an opportunity for those who have already received their EPA RRP certification to renew for another term. Community Education Call 476-4500 to register. (V-0813)

LEAD SAFETY FOR RENOVATION, REPAIR AND PAINTING 8 hour training Sat. Sept. 12th, 8:30-5:30PM \$295 This EPA mandated class, required in addition to the CA DPH worker and supervisor certification, qualifies individuals performing renovations in target housing and child occupied facilities. The course focuses on following the safe work practice requirements, health aspects, regulations, containment, cleaning and record keeping. Community Education Call 476-4500 to register (V-0806)

PHARMACY TECHNICIAN PROGRAM INFORMATIONAL MEETING Tues. Aug 25th 6:00-7:00PM College of the Redwoods Community Education. Come and hear about this great 50 hour vocational program will prepare students to work as a pharmacy technician in a retail or other pharmacy setting, and to take the Pharmacy Technician Certification Board's PTCB exam. Call 707-476-4500 for more information. (V-0806)

Wellness & Bodywork

ARCATA SCHOOL OF MASSAGE IS NOW ENROLLING FOR OUR 650-HOUR PROGRAM. Starts Sept. 1, 2015. It is a Morning Program that meets Mon.- Fri., 9 a.m. - 1 p.m. Training is based in mindfulness, compassion, and many therapeutic massage modalities. Visit arcatamassage.com for complete course descriptions and information. (W-0128)

DANDELION HERBAL CENTER CLASSES WITH JANE BOTHWELL. Beginning with Herbs. Sept 16 - Nov 11, 2015, 8 Wed. evenings. Learn medicine making, herbal first aid, and herbs for common imbalances. Festival of Herbs: Visiting Teachers Series. Dec. 2015 - May 2016. Meets the 1st weekend of the month for intermediate to advanced herb students and health care practitioners. Learn from renowned herbalists: Rosemary Gladstar, Christopher Hobbs, Amanda McQuade-Crawford, Kevin Spelman, Kathleen Harrison and Jessica Baker! Register online www.dandelionherb.com or call (707) 442-8157. (W-0910)

HUMBOLDT HERBALS FALL CLASS SERIES Intrigued by herbal medicine? Join us for this 10 week series of diverse herbal topics, and give yourself a great foundation. Contact us for full course descriptions. \$395 for the series - includes 10 classes, 2 herb walks, handouts, and samples. Individual classes \$45. Saturdays from 10 to 12:30 in Old Town Eureka, beginning Sept 12. (707) 442-3541 emailus@humboldtherbals.com www.humboldtherbals.com

INTRO TO HOLISTIC MEDICINE Learn the factors that impact health and what is needed to heal. With John Yamas and Melissa Berg. Weds., Aug. 26-Oct. 7, 7-8:30 p.m. Fee: \$70. To enroll, call HSU College of eLearning & Extended Education at 826-3731 or visit www.humboldt.edu/extended. (W-0820)

JIN SHIN JYUTSU SELF-HELP CLASSES. Learn what this ancient way of balancing energy with gentle touch is, and how to do it for yourself to enhance your health, comfort and peace of mind. Third Sundays, July thru December, 10am. to 1p.m. \$30 per class or \$150 for all six classes. Attend one, some, or all. July 19, Aug. 16, Sept. 20, Oct. 18, Nov. 15, Dec. 20, at the Arcata Wellness Center, 735 12th St., Arcata. Taught by Denny Dorsett RN, Jin Shin Jyutsu practitioner and self-help instructor. Call 707 825-0824 for information and pre-registration, or drop in, space allowing. (W-1217)

YOGA IN FORTUNA TUES 7:30AM - 8:45AM W/ TAKASHA Thurs 9:30am - 10:45am w/Laurie Birdsong. Multigenerational Center 2280 Newburg Rd. Breathe, stretch, strengthen the body, calm the mind. All levels. \$11 drop-in or 6 class pass \$57. Scholarships avail. info Laurie 362-5457 or Takasha 499-7287 (W-0827)

FIELD NOTES

Alice in Photography Wonderland

By Barry Evans

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In an age of smartphones and selfies, it's hard to imagine the challenges involved in creating a photograph in the pre-digital, pre-film era, when it took hours to capture an image, not a fraction of a second. Between 1827, the date of the first surviving photograph (rooftops from a window in Bourgogne, France by Nicéphore Niépce) and 1851, when the "collodion process" was invented, early photographers had two choices of medium: daguerreotypes and calotypes.

The daguerreotype, named after its French inventor Louis-Jaques-Mandé Daguerre, dates from 1839. While it can capture fine detail, it's a one-off process, and the resulting image needs to be viewed from just the right angle. The calotype, introduced in 1841 by Englishman Henry Fox Talbot, was more convenient than the daguerreotype, in that it allowed multiple positive images to be made from a single negative, but lacked the fine detail of the "French" system.

Neither process satisfied the needs of a relatively unknown British sculptor (who doesn't even rate his own entry on Wikipedia!), Frederick Scott Archer. Wanting to obtain new commissions by sending photos of his work to potential clients, Archer's experiments went beyond one-off daguerreotypes and low-resolution calotypes. In 1851, he heard about the recently invented substance collodion, a mixture of guncotton (nitrocellulose), ether and alcohol. A viscous liquid, collodion dries rapidly into a clear, thin, elastic film; as a skin-like dressing, it was first used extensively on battle wounds during the 1853-1856 Crimean War.

Archer's genius was to recognize that collodion could serve as a perfect matrix for light-sensitive silver salts, and in 1851 he perfected "wet collodion" photography. Like its predecessors, the process was still complicated, delicate and time-consuming, but its advantages were immediately obvious to photographers of the time: high resolution, multiple copies and exposure times of less than a minute (short in those days).

One of the earliest adopters of the wet collodion process was a shy Oxford mathematics teacher and polymath, the Reverend Charles Dodgson, better known to the world as Lewis Carroll, author of



CHARLES DODGSON (AKA LEWIS CARROLL) TOOK THIS COLLODION PHOTOGRAPH OF ALICE LIDDELL, DRESSED AS TENNYSON'S "BEGGAR MAID," IN HER PARENTS' OXFORD GARDEN IN EARLY JUNE, 1857. METROPOLITAN MUSEUM OF ART, GILMAN COLLECTION. PUBLIC DOMAIN

Alice's Adventures in Wonderland. In the space of 24 years, from 1856 until 1880, Dodgson created around 3,000 images, of which some 1,000 survive. He took photographs of landscapes, buildings, famous people (including Alfred Lord Tennyson and European royalty) and — his métier — children.

One of the kids, Alice Liddell, was the daughter of the Dean of Christ Church college in Oxford, where Dodgson lived and taught. Between 1857 and 1870, he made 11 portraits of Alice (and another seven of her with her siblings), all of which survive. The most famous of these, taken in June 1857, is of five-year old Alice dressed as "The Beggar Maid," based on a Tennyson poem.

Five years later, Dodgson and his friend Robinson Duckworth ("Dodo" and "Duck") would take Lorina, Alice and Edith Liddell ("Prima," "Secunda" and "Tertia") on one of their frequent rowing trips. As usual on these "expeditions," Charles Dodgson made up fantastic tales to entertain the kids as he and Duckworth rowed upriver. On this singular occasion, however, Alice begged him to write down the stories for her.

And thus was borne *Alice's Adventures in Wonderland.* ●

Barry Evans (barryevans9@yahoo.com) would love to have taken tea with Lewis Carroll, with or without the Mad Hatter.

**NOTICE OF PETITION TO
ADMINISTER ESTATE OF
DENNIS LEE JOHNSON CASE
NO. PR150191**

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both, Dennis Lee Johnson A PETITION FOR PROBATE has been filed by Petitioner, Denise Morland (Johnson) In the Superior Court of California, County of Humboldt. THE PETITION FOR PROBATE requests that DENISE MORLAND (JOHNSON)

Be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent. THE PETITION requests the decedent's will and codicils, if any, be admitted to probate. The will and any codicils are available for examination in the file kept by court. THE PETITION requests authority to administer the estate under the Independent Administration of Estates Act. (This authority will allow the personal representative to take many actions without obtaining court approval. Before taking certain very important actions, however, the personal representative will be required to give notice to interested persons unless they have waived notice or consented to the proposed action.) The independent administration authority will be granted unless an interested person files an objection to the petition and shows good cause why the court should not grant the authority. A HEARING on the petition will be held on August 20, 2015 at 2:00 p.m. at the Superior Court of California, County of Humboldt, 825 Fifth Street, Eureka, in Dept.: 8. IF YOU OBJECT to the granting of the petition, you should appear at the hearing and state your objections or file written objections with the court before the hearing. Your appearance may be in person or by your attorney. IF YOU ARE A CREDITOR or a contingent creditor of the decedent, you must file your claim with the court and mail a copy to the personal representative appointed by the court within the later of either (1) four months from the date of first issuance of letters to a general personal representative, as defined in section 58(b) of the California Probate Code, or (2) 60 days from the date of mailing or personal delivery to you of a notice under section 9052 of the California Probate Code. Other California statutes and legal authority may affect your rights as a creditor. You may want to consult with an attorney knowledgeable in California law. YOU MAY EXAMINE the file kept by the court. If you are a person interested in the estate, you may file with the court a Request for Special

Notice (form DE-154) of the filing of an inventory and appraisal of estate assets or of any petition or account as provided in Probate Code section 1250. A Request for Special Notice form is available from the court clerk. ATTORNEY FOR PETITIONER: Leon A. Karjola, CSB NO. 69056 Attorney At Law 732 Fifth Street, Suite C Eureka, CA 95501 (707) 445-0804 Filed: July 30, 2015 SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT

8/6, 13, 20 (15-170)

**NOTICE OF PETITION TO
ADMINISTER ESTATE OF FELIX
EDWARD MEGAZZI CASE NO.
PR150192**

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both, Felix Edward Megazzi A PETITION FOR PROBATE has been filed by Petitioner, Michael L. Megazzi In the Superior Court of California, County of Humboldt. THE PETITION FOR PROBATE requests that MICHAEL L. MEGAZZI Be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent. THE PETITION requests the decedent's will and codicils, if any, be admitted to probate. The will and any codicils are available for examination in the file kept by court. THE PETITION requests authority to administer the estate under the Independent Administration of Estates Act. (This authority will allow the personal representative to take many actions without obtaining court approval. Before taking certain very important actions, however, the personal representative will be required to give notice to interested persons unless they have waived notice or consented to the proposed action.) The independent administration authority will be granted unless an interested person files an objection to the petition and shows good cause why the court should not grant the authority. A HEARING on the petition will be held on August 20, 2015 at 2:00 p.m. at the Superior Court of California, County of Humboldt, 825 Fifth Street, Eureka, in Dept.: 8. IF YOU OBJECT to the granting of the petition, you should appear at the hearing and state your objections or file written objections with the court before the hearing. Your appearance may be in person or by your attorney. IF YOU ARE A CREDITOR or a contingent creditor of the decedent, you must file your claim with the court and mail a copy to the personal representative appointed by the court within the later of either (1) four months from the date

of first issuance of letters to a general personal representative, as defined in section 58(b) of the California Probate Code, or (2) 60 days from the date of mailing or personal delivery to you of a notice under section 9052 of the California Probate Code. Other California statutes and legal authority may affect your rights as a creditor. You may want to consult with an attorney knowledgeable in California law. YOU MAY EXAMINE the file kept by the court. If you are a person interested in the estate, you may file with the court a Request for Special Notice (form DE-154) of the filing of an inventory and appraisal of estate assets or of any petition or account as provided in Probate Code section 1250. A Request for Special Notice form is available from the court clerk. ATTORNEY FOR PETITIONER: Leon A. Karjola, CSB NO. 69056 Attorney At Law 732 Fifth Street, Suite C Eureka, CA 95501 (707) 445-0804 Filed: July 30, 2015 SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT

8/6, 13, 20 (15-171)

**NOTICE OF PETITION TO
ADMINISTER ESTATE OF JOHN
HENRY BAGLEY aka JOHN
HENRY BAGLEY, JR. CASE NO.
PR150140**

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both, JOHN HENRY BAGLEY aka JOHN HENRY BAGLEY, JR. A PETITION FOR PROBATE has been filed by Petitioner, Becca Hood aka Rebecca L. Hood In the Superior Court of California, County of Humboldt. The petition for probate requests that BECCA HOOD aka REBECCA L. HOOD Be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent. THE PETITION requests the decedent's will and codicils, if any, be admitted to probate. The will and any codicils are available for examination in the file kept by court. THE PETITION requests authority to administer the estate under the Independent Administration of Estates Act. (This authority will allow the personal representative to take many actions without obtaining court approval. Before taking certain very important actions, however, the personal representative will be required to give notice to interested persons unless they have waived notice or consented to the proposed action.) The independent administration authority will be granted unless an interested person files an objection to the petition and shows good cause why the court should not

grant the authority. A HEARING on the petition will be held on August 27, 2015 at 2:00 p.m. at the Superior Court of California, County of Humboldt, 825 Fifth Street, Eureka, in Dept.: 8. IF YOU OBJECT to the granting of the petition, you should appear at the hearing and state your objections or file written objections with the court before the hearing. Your appearance may be in person or by your attorney. IF YOU ARE A CREDITOR or a contingent creditor of the decedent, you must file your claim with the court and mail a copy to the personal representative appointed by the court within the later of either (1) four months from the date of first issuance of letters to a general personal representative, as defined in section 58(b) of the California Probate Code, or (2) 60 days from the date of mailing or personal delivery to you of a notice under section 9052 of the California Probate Code. Other California statutes and legal authority may affect your rights as a creditor. You may want to consult with an attorney knowledgeable in California law. YOU MAY EXAMINE the file kept by the court. If you are a person interested in the estate, you may file with the court a Request for Special Notice (form DE-154) of the filing of an inventory and appraisal of estate assets or of any petition or account as provided in Probate Code section 1250. A Request for Special Notice form is available from the court clerk. ATTORNEY FOR PETITIONER: Kayla M. Grant #243466 Law Offices of Kayla Grant 725 College Ave., Suite #6 Santa Rosa, CA 95404 (707) 595-0713 Filed: August 7, 2015 SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT

8/13, 20, 27 (15-178)

**NOTICE OF PETITION TO
ADMINISTER ESTATE OF
ROBERT EARL JONES, a/k/a
ROBERT E. JONES, a/k/a BOB E.
JONES, a/k/a BOB JONES
CASE NO. PR150204**

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both, ROBERT EARL JONES, a/k/a ROBERT E. JONES, a/k/a BOB E. JONES, a/k/a BOB JONES A PETITION FOR PROBATE has been filed by Petitioner, William R. McClendon, III In the Superior Court of California, County of Humboldt. The petition for probate requests that WILLIAM R. MCCLENDON, III Be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent. THE PETITION requests the decedent's will and codicils, if any, be

admitted to probate. The will and any codicils are available for examination in the file kept by court. THE PETITION requests authority to administer the estate under the Independent Administration of Estates Act. (This authority will allow the personal representative to take many actions without obtaining court approval. Before taking certain very important actions, however, the personal representative will be required to give notice to interested persons unless they have waived notice or consented to the proposed action.) The independent administration authority will be granted unless an interested person files an objection to the petition and shows good cause why the court should not grant the authority. A HEARING on the petition will be held on October 1, 2015 at 2:00 p.m. at the Superior Court of California, County of Humboldt, 825 Fifth Street, Eureka, in Dept.: 8. IF YOU OBJECT to the granting of the petition, you should appear at the hearing and state your objections or file written objections with the court before the hearing. Your appearance may be in person or by your attorney. IF YOU ARE A CREDITOR or a contingent creditor of the decedent, you must file your claim with the court and mail a copy to the personal representative appointed by the court within the later of either (1) four months from the date of first issuance of letters to a general personal representative, as defined in section 58(b) of the California Probate Code, or (2) 60 days from the date of mailing or personal delivery to you of a notice under section 9052 of the California Probate Code. Other California statutes and legal authority may affect your rights as a creditor. You may want to consult with an attorney knowledgeable in California law. YOU MAY EXAMINE the file kept by the court. If you are a person interested in the estate, you may file with the court a Request for Special Notice (form DE-154) of the filing of an inventory and appraisal of estate assets or of any petition or account as provided in Probate Code section 1250. A Request for Special Notice form is available from the court clerk. ATTORNEY FOR PETITIONER: James D. Poovey, Esq. 937 Sixth St. Eureka, CA 95501 (707) 443-6744 Filed: August 7, 2015 SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT

8/13, 20, 27 (15-176)

**NOTICE OF PETITION TO
ADMINISTER ESTATE OF
STEPHEN PATRICK MILLER,
ALSO KNOWN AS STEPHEN
MILLER, ALSO KNOWN AS
STEVEN MILLER
CASE NO. PR150205**

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both, STEPHEN PATRICK MILLER, ALSO KNOWN AS STEPHEN MILLER, ALSO KNOWN AS STEVEN MILLER A PETITION FOR PROBATE has been filed by Petitioner, Gary M. Miller In the Superior Court of California, County of Humboldt. The petition for probate requests that Gary M. Miller be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent. THE PETITION requests the decedent's will and codicils, if any, be admitted to probate. The will and any codicils are available for examination in the file kept by court. THE PETITION requests authority to administer the estate under the Independent Administration of Estates Act. (This authority will allow the personal representative to take many actions without obtaining court approval. Before taking certain very important actions, however, the personal representative will be required to give notice to interested persons unless they have waived notice or consented to the proposed action.) The independent administration authority will be granted unless an interested person files an objection to the petition and shows good cause why the court should not grant the authority. A HEARING on the petition will be held on September 3, 2015 at 2:00 p.m. at the Superior Court of California, County of Humboldt, 825 Fifth Street, Eureka, in Dept.: 8. IF YOU OBJECT to the granting of the petition, you should appear at the hearing and state your objections or file written objections with the court before the hearing. Your appearance may be in person or by your attorney. IF YOU ARE A CREDITOR or a contingent creditor of the decedent, you must file your claim with the court and mail a copy to the personal representative appointed by the court within the later of either (1) four months from the date of first issuance of letters to a general personal representative, as defined in section 58(b) of the California Probate Code, or (2) 60 days from the date of mailing or personal delivery to you of a notice under section 9052 of the California Probate Code. Other California statutes and legal authority may affect your rights as a creditor. You may want to consult with an attorney knowledgeable in California law. YOU MAY EXAMINE the file kept by the court. If you are a person inter-

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ested in the estate, you may file with the court a Request for Special Notice (form DE-154) of the filing of an inventory and appraisal of estate assets or of any petition or account as provided in Probate Code section 1250. A Request for Special Notice form is available from the court clerk.
 ATTORNEY FOR PETITIONER:
 Catherine M. Koshkin, Esq., CSB
 #149503
 Koshkin Law Firm
 1116 Eleventh St.
 Eureka, CA 95501
 (707) 822-2800
 Filed: August 10, 2015
 SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA
 COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT

8/13, 20, 27 (15-181)

TS# 15-2172 NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED: 7/13/09. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER.

A public auction sale to the highest bidder for cash, cashier's check drawn on a state or national bank, check drawn by a state or federal credit union, or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, or savings association, or savings bank specified in Section 5102 of the Financial Code and authorized to do business in this state will be held by the duly appointed trustee, as shown below, all right, title and interest conveyed to and now held by the trustee in the hereinafter described property under and pursuant to a Deed of Trust described below. The sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, express or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to satisfy the obligation secured by said Deed of Trust. The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the property address or other common designation, if any shown herein. Trustor: Scott Peterman and Kristen Peterman, husband and wife as community property with right of survivorship Duly Appointed Trustee: Foreclosure Specialists LLC Recorded 8/11/09 as Instrument No. 2009-18357-7 of Official Records in the office of the Recorder of Humboldt County, California, Date of Sale: Thursday, September 3, 2015 at 10:30 AM Place of Sale: on the steps to the front entrance to the County Courthouse, 825 5TH Street, Eureka, CA 95501 The common designation of the property is purported to be: 5345 Walnut Drive, Eureka, CA 95503 APN: 303-033-014 & 034 Estimated opening bid: \$343,703.37 Beneficiary may elect to open bidding at a

lesser amount. The total amount secured by said instrument as of the time of initial publication of this notice is stated above, which includes the total amount of the unpaid balance (including accrued and unpaid interest) and reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of initial publication of this notice. NOTICE TO POTENTIAL BIDDERS: If you are considering bidding on this property lien, you should understand that there are risks involved in bidding at a trustee auction. You will be bidding on a lien, not on the property itself. Placing the highest bid at a trustee auction does not automatically entitle you to free and clear ownership of the property. You should also be aware that the lien being auctioned off may be a junior lien. If you are the highest bidder at the auction, you are or may be responsible for paying off all liens senior to the lien being auctioned off, before you can receive clear title to the property. You are encouraged to investigate the existence, priority, and size of outstanding liens that may exist on this property by contacting the county recorder's office or a title insurance company, either of which may charge you a fee for this information. If you consult either of these resources, you should be aware that the same lender may hold more than one mortgage or deed of trust on the property. NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNER: The sale date shown on this notice of sale may be postponed one or more times by the mortgagee, beneficiary, trustee, or a court, pursuant to Section 2924g of the California Civil Code. The law requires that information about trustee sale postponements be made available to you and to the public, as a courtesy to those not present at the sale. If you wish to learn whether your sale date has been postponed, and, if applicable, the rescheduled time and date for the sale of this property, you may call the trustee's information line at 530-246-2727 or visit this Internet Web site: calforeclosures.biz, using the file number assigned to this case: TS # 15-2172. Information about postponements that are very short in duration or that occur close in time to the scheduled sale may not immediately be reflected in the telephone information or on the Internet Web site. The best way to verify postponement information is to attend the scheduled sale. Date: 8/4/15 FORECLOSURE SPECIALISTS LLC 1388 Court Street, Ste C Redding, CA 96001 530-246-2727, Toll Free: 844-333-6766, Janelle St. Pierre Trustee Sale Officer Foreclosure Specialists LLC is assisting the Beneficiary in collecting a debt. Any and all information obtained may be used for that purpose. TAC: 975849 PUB: 8/13, 8/20, 8/27/15. 15-175

Loan: Coast/Bennett Order #: 00153232 File: PFI-150636 A.P.N.: 018-051-019-000
 NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE UNDER DEED OF TRUST YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED 3131/2006. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER.NOTICE is hereby given that Placer Foreclosure, Inc., as trustee, or successor trustee, or substituted trustee pursuant to the Deed of Trust executed by: Rosenea Bennett, A Single Woman Recorded 4/5/2006 as Instrument 'o. 2006-9954-6 in book, page of Official Records in the office of the Recorder of Humboldt County, California, and pursuant to the Notice of Default and Election to Sell thereunder recorded 4/15/2015 in Book, Page , as Instrument No. 20 15 -006994-3 of said Official Records, WILL SELL on 8/19/2015 at On the steps to the front entrance of the County Courthouse, 825 5th Street, Eureka, CA 95501 at 10:30 AM AT PUBLIC AUCTION TO THE HIGHEST BIDDER FOR CASH (payable at the time of sale in lawful money of the United States), all right, title and interest conveyed to and now held by it under said Deed of Trust in the property situated in said County and State hereinafter described: As more fully described on said Deed of Trust. The property address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: 2436 FERN STREET, EUREKA, CA 95503 The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address or other common designation, if any, shown herein. Total amount of the unpaid balance of the obligation secured by the property to be sold and reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale is: \$104,686.28 A.P.N.: 018-051-019-000 In addition to cash, the trustee will accept a cashier's check drawn on a state or national bank, a check drawn by a state or federal credit union, or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, or savings association, or savings bank specified in Section 5102 of the Financial Code and authorized to do business in this state. In the event tender other than cash is accepted the Trustee may withhold the issuance of the Trustee's Deed until funds become available to the payee or endorsee as a matter of right. Said sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to satisfy the indebtedness secured by said Deed, advances thereunder, with interest as provided therein, and the unpaid principal balance of the Note

secured by said Deed with interest thereon as provided in said Note, fees, charges and expenses of the trustee and the trusts created by said Deed of Trust. NOTICE TO POTENTIAL BIDDERS: If you are considering bidding on this property lien, you should understand that there are risks involved in bidding at a trustee auction. You will be bidding on a lien, not on the property itself. Placing the highest bid at a trustee auction does not automatically entitle you to free and clear ownership of the property. You should also be aware that the lien being auctioned off may be a junior lien. If you are the highest bidder at the auction, you are or may be responsible for paying off all liens senior to the lien being auctioned off, before you can receive clear title to the property. You are encouraged to investigate the existence, priority, and size of outstanding liens that may exist on this property by contacting the county recorder's office or a title insurance company, either of which may charge you a fee for this information. If you consult either of these resources, you should be aware that the same lender may hold more than one mortgage or deed of trust on the property. NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNER: The sale date shown on this notice of sale may be postponed one or more times by the mortgagee, beneficiary, trustee, or a court, pursuant to Section 2924g of the California Civil Code. The law requires that information about trustee sale postponements be made available to you and to the public, as a courtesy to those not present at the sale. If you wish to learn whether your sale date has been postponed, and, if applicable, the rescheduled time and date for the sale of this property, you may call 888-988-6736 or visit this Internet Web site salestrack.tdsf.com, using the file number assigned to this case PFI-150636. Information about postponements that are very short in duration or that occur close in time to the scheduled sale may not immediately be reflected in the telephone information or on the Internet Web site. The best way to verify postponement information is to attend the scheduled sale. Dated: 7/22/2015 Placer Foreclosure, Inc., as said Trustee 12190 Herdal Drive, Suite 9Auburn, California 95603 (530) 888-8411 By: Shannon Winford, Trustee Sale Officer Directions May Be Obtained Pursuant To A Written Request Submitted To The Beneficiary C/O Placer Foreclosure, Inc., 12190 Herdal Dr., Suite 9, Auburn, CA 95603, Within 10 Days Of The First Publication Of This Notice. Placer Foreclosure, Inc. Is A Debt Collector Attempting To Collect A Debt And Any Information Obtained Will Be Used For That Purpose. TAC: 975230 PUB: 7/30, 8/06, 8/13/15 (15-167)

PUBLIC SALE
 NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned intends to sell the personal property described below to enforce a lien imposed on said property pursuant to Sections 21700 -21716 of the Business & Professions Code, Section 2328 of the UCC, Section 535 of the Penal Code and provisions of the civil Code.

The undersigned will sell at public sale by competitive bidding on the 26th of August, 2015, at 9:00 AM, on the premises where said property has been stored and which are located at Rainbow Self Storage.

The following units are located at 4055 Broadway Eureka, CA, County of Humboldt.

Jennifer Lenihan, Unit # 5013
 Deborah Steele, Unit # 5217
 Edwin Lady, Unit # 5247
 Phoebe Morris, Unit # 5283
 Andrea Printy, Unit # 5295
 Suzanne Cooper, Unit # 5297
 Pamela Gray, Unit # 5319
 Brell McLaughlin, Unit # 5403 (Held in Co. Unit)
 George Neeley, Unit # 5423
 Amanda Jordan, Unit # 5441
 Eusebia Rodriguez, Unit # 5464

The following units are located at 639 W. Clark Street Eureka, CA, County of Humboldt and will be sold immediately following the sale of the above units.

Christina Franscella, Unit # 2107
 Connie Barrett, Unit # 2201
 Robert Claybon, Unit # 3405
 Jade Jones, Unit # 3420

The following units are located at 3618 Jacobs Avenue Eureka, CA, County of Humboldt and will be sold immediately following the sale of the above units.

Jack McCallum, Unit # 1127
 James Stark, Unit # 1186
 Fabaine Crawford, Unit # 1217
 Jessica Larson, Unit # 1353
 April Hicks, Unit # 1371
 Judy Spain, Unit # 1374
 Robinn Baird, Unit # 1504
 Ashlee Page, Unit # 1607
 Cayla Tatum, Unit # 1690
 Suzette Cruz, Unit # 1751

The following units are located at 105 Indianola Avenue Eureka, CA, County of Humboldt and will be sold immediately following the sale of the above units.

Christopher Vandiver, Unit # 230
 Francine Town, Unit # 233
 Diana Argueta, Unit # 236
 Taqurri Alvarado, Unit # 245
 John Merrell, Unit # 271
 James Walker, Unit # 311
 Dean Jordan, Unit # 462
 Antonio Mengual, Unit # 465
 Tiffany Cotten, Unit # 486

The following units are located at 1641 Holly Drive McKinleyville, CA, County of Humboldt and will be

sold immediately following the sale of the above units.

Obadiah Hunter, Unit # 2103 (Held in Co. Unit)
 Inga Short, Unit # 7230
 Tony McAlexander, Unit # 8101
 Ronald Bledsoe, Unit # 9119

The following units are located at 2394 Central Avenue McKinleyville CA, County of Humboldt and will be sold immediately following the sale of the above units.

Jacquelyn Watt, Unit # 9272
 Robert Dixon, Unit # 9542

The following units are located at 180 F Street Arcata CA, County of Humboldt and will be sold immediately following the sale of the above units.

Alyssa Crumbley, Unit # 4201
 Nicholas Dearden, Unit # 4203
 Nikola Parque, Unit # 4306
 Rebecca Bodkin, Unit # 4374
 Derek Bowden, Unit # 4404
 Chaunce Bodkin, Unit # 4708
 Casie Cretal, Unit # 6140 (Held in Co. Unit)
 Shannon Frandsen, Unit # 6156
 Jacob Buckmaster, Unit # 6162 (Held in Co. Unit)
 Seth Perez, Unit # 7034
 Vanessa Garcia, Unit # 7041
 Richard Matusak, Unit # 7065

The following units are located at 940 G Street Arcata CA, County of Humboldt and will be sold immediately following the sale of the above units.

Irma Ortiz-Garcia, Unit # 6359
 Cassondra Nieters Westrup, Unit # 6360
 Michelle Carr, Unit # 6421

Items to be sold include, but are not limited to:
 Household furniture, office equipment, household appliances, exercise equipment, TVs, VCR, microwave, bikes, books, misc. tools, misc. camping equipment, misc. stereo equip. misc. yard tools, misc. sports equipment, misc. kids toys, misc. fishing gear, misc. computer components, and misc. boxes and bags contents unknown. Purchases must be paid for at the time of the sale in cash only. Anyone interested in attending the auction must sign in at 4055 Broadway Eureka CA. prior to 9:00 A.M. on the day of the auction, no exceptions. All purchase items sold as is, where is and must be removed at time of sale. Sale is subject to cancellation in the event of settlement between owner and obligated party. Auctioneer: Rainbow Self-Storage, 707-443-1451, Bond # 40083246.

Dated this 13th day of August, 2015 and 20th day of August, 2015

08/13, 20 (15-173)

<p>FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 15-00462</p> <p>The following person is doing Business as STUDIO B SPA AND SALON 1936 Central Ave, McKinleyville, CA 95519 Shanae A Gentleman 1655 #B Grange Rd, McKinleyville, CA 95519 The business is conducted by An Individual. The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on Not Applicable I declare the all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000). /s Shanae Gentleman, Owner This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Humboldt County on August 5, 2015 KELLY E. SANDERS Humboldt County Clerk By: M. Morris</p> <p>8/13, 8/20, 8/27, 9/3 (15-180)</p>	<p>FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 15-00421</p> <p>The following person is doing Business as MC1 Humboldt, 1939 Market St, Ferndale, CA 95536 Mobley Construction CA 3677016 1939 Market St, Ferndale, CA 95536 The business is conducted by A Corporation. The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on Not Applicable I declare the all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000). /s Gina Mobley, Vice President This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Humboldt County on July 13, 2015 KELLY E. SANDERS Humboldt County Clerk By: M. Morris</p> <p>8/6, 8/13, 8/20, 8/27 (15-169)</p>	<p>FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 15-00459</p> <p>The following person is doing Business as ROOT & BONES Humboldt, 1528 M St, Apt 3 Arcata, CA 95521 Malcolm Desoto 1528 M St, Apt 3 Arcata, CA 95521 Alyssa G Melody 1528 M St, Apt 3 Arcata, CA 95521 The business is conducted by A General Partnership. The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on Not Applicable I declare the all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000). /s Malcolm Desoto, Owner This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Humboldt County on August 4, 2015 KELLY E. SANDERS Humboldt County Clerk By: M. Morris</p> <p>8/13, 8/20, 8/27, 9/3 (15-174)</p>	<p>FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 15-00466</p> <p>The following person is doing Business as NORTH COAST INTER-TRADE COMPANY Humboldt, 2323 William Ct, McKinleyville, CA 95519 Minhee Park 2323 William Ct, McKinleyville, CA 95519 The business is conducted by An Individual. The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on Not Applicable I declare the all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000). /s Minhee Park, Owner This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Humboldt County on August 6, 2015 KELLY E. SANDERS Humboldt County Clerk By: A. Abrams</p> <p>8/13, 8/20, 8/27, 9/3 (15-179)</p>	<p>FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 15-00454</p> <p>The following person is doing Business as HOMEOAIDE Humboldt, 1642 Fickle Hill Rd, Arcata, CA 95521 Kim Elia Synergy Associates Inc., CA C3506006 1642 Fickle Hill Rd, Arcata, CA 95521 Kim Elia The business is conducted by A Corporation. The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on Not Applicable I declare the all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000). /s Kate Clark, Operations Manager This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Humboldt County on August 3, 2015 KELLY E. SANDERS Humboldt County Clerk By: T. Holman</p> <p>8/6, 8/13, 8/20, 8/27 (15-172)</p>	<p>FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 15-00431</p> <p>The following person is doing Business as VECTOR NEST Humboldt, 128 Himalaya Dr., Trinidad, CA 95570 PO Box 270, Trinidad, CA 95570 Mareva L Russo 128 Himalaya Dr., Trinidad, CA 95570 Bradley E Twoomey 128 Himalaya Dr., Trinidad, CA 95570 The business is conducted by A General Partnership. The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on Not Applicable I declare the all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000). /s Mareva L Russo, General Manager This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Humboldt County on July 17, 2015 KELLY E. SANDERS Humboldt County Clerk By: A. Abrams</p> <p>7/23, 7/30, 8/6, 8/13 (15-249)</p>
<p>FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 15-00399</p> <p>The following person is doing Business as HUMBOLDT ECO BLASTERS Humboldt, 2380 Bongio Ct., Eureka, CA 95503 Matthew S Simon 941 Bayview St, Arcata, CA 95521 2380 Bongio Ct, Eureka, CA 95503 The business is conducted by Copartners. The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on Not Applicable I declare the all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000). /s Matthew S Simon, Allan J Bugler, Co-owners This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Humboldt County on July 02, 2015 KELLY E. SANDERS Humboldt County Clerk By: A. Abrams</p> <p>7/30, 8/6, 8/13, 8/20 (15-168)</p>	<p>FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 15-00468</p> <p>The following person is doing Business as ANDAMAN AUCTIONS Humboldt, 1402 Union St #B, Eureka, CA 95501 Jenjira Chitphimai 3147 Dolbeer St #20, Eureka, CA 95503 The business is conducted by An Individual. The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on Not Applicable I declare the all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000). /s Jenjira Chitphimai, Owner This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Humboldt County on August 7, 2015 KELLY E. SANDERS Humboldt County Clerk By: A. Abrams</p> <p>8/13, 8/20, 8/27, 9/3 (15-177)</p>	<p>FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 15-00432</p> <p>The following person is doing Business as PEACEFUL PRODUCTIONS Humboldt, 88 Lum St, Weott, CA 95771 P.O. Box 147, Weott, CA 95771 David R. Dougherty 738 K St, Eureka, CA 95501 The business is conducted by An Individual. The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on Not Applicable I declare the all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000). /s David R. Dougherty, Owner This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Humboldt County on July 17, 2015 KELLY E. SANDERS Humboldt County Clerk By: A. Abrams</p> <p>7/23, 7/30, 8/6, 8/13 (15-164)</p>	<p>FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 15-00433</p> <p>The following person is doing Business as JAY HUMBOLDT SELECT BREEDING, HANDLED ENTERTAINMENT Humboldt, 2366 17th St., Eureka, CA 95501 PO Box 247, Cutton, CA 95534 Sarah A. Maher 2366 17th St., Eureka, CA 95501 The business is conducted by An Individual. The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on Not Applicable I declare the all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000). /s Sarah Maher, Owner/President This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Humboldt County on July 20, 2015 KELLY E. SANDERS Humboldt County Clerk By: M. Morris</p> <p>7/30, 8/6, 8/13, 8/20 (15-166)</p>	<p>FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 15-00390</p> <p>The following person is doing Business as EXPRESS EMPLOYMENT PROFESSIONALS Humboldt, 14 West Wabash Avenue, Eureka, CA 95501 S&N Ventures, Inc., CA 3688445 14 West Wabash Avenue, Eureka, CA 95501 The business is conducted by A Corporation. The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on Not Applicable I declare the all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000). /s Shelley Nilsen, Owner/President This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Humboldt County on June 30, 2015 KELLY E. SANDERS Humboldt County Clerk By: A. Abrams</p> <p>7/30, 8/6, 8/13, 8/20 (15-165)</p>	<p>FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 15-00383</p> <p>The following person is doing Business as RECYCLED YOUTH Humboldt, 1507 G. Street, Arcata, CA 95521 Taya R. Guynup 5750 Old Railroad Grade, McKinleyville, CA 95519 The business is conducted by A General Partnership. The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on Not Applicable I declare the all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000). /s Taya Guynup, Owner This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Humboldt County on June 29, 2015 KELLY E. SANDERS Humboldt County Clerk By: L. Holman</p> <p>7/23, 7/30, 8/6, 8/13 (15-163)</p>

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PAPER CUTS — ANSWERS NEXT WEEK!

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- Knife incision
- "The Great Muppet Caper" actress Diana
- "Law & Order" spinoff, for short
- "Don't _____ muscle!"
- Standard graph axes
- Stroke
- Borneo rainforest dweller
- Bird-related
- Drop from the staff
- Midwest daily read by paving material enthusiasts?
- Come into some money, maybe
- Noted provider of pictorial instructions
- Impediments to teamwork

- New England daily read by researchers of an amorphous lump?
- Escort to a second-floor apartment, say
- Stun, as a suspect
- Opposite of WSW
- Minor office injuries ... or afflictions suffered by 19-, 27-, 48- and 56-Across
- 007, for one: Abbr.
- Buzz on "The Simpsons," e.g.
- Penn and Connelly
- East Coast daily read by marijuana users?
- Border
- Sunburn relief
- Have no company
- Midwest daily read by believers of the Father, Son and

- Holy Ghost?
- Australia's national bird
- "Lookie what I did!"
- _____ 6
- "The Amazing Race" necessity
- Fields
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- Yiddish laments
- It may be rigged
- Kikkoman sauces

- Barbie greeting
- Ibsen's "Peer _____"
- Vivacity
- Plague
- RAV4 or TrailBlazer, briefly
- Vegan gelatin substitute
- Blade brand
- Member of the fam
- Insurance co. that received a \$182 billion bailout
- Very long period
- Bart and Lisa's grandpa
- Bra part
- Middle x or o
- The Buckeyes' sch.
- Takes home
- Flamenco guitarist _____ de Lucia
- _____ ejemplo
- Game in a forest
- Aquarium attractions

- Santa _____ winds
- Do goo
- Recipe amount, at times
- On the verge
- Convent
- Fomer RNC chairman Michael and others
- Mumbled assent
- Orchestra woodwinds
- Vietnamese New Year
- Sabre ou pistolet
- Start of Popeye's credo
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- Chorus after "All in favor"
- Coll. senior's exam
- Punk offshoot
- When the French Open starts

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KITCHEN & HOUSEKEEPERS On-Call to join team at behavioral health center. Must pass DOJ & FBI background check. Cook \$11.31/hr, Housekeeping \$10.14/hr. EEO/AA/Minority/F/Vet/Disability Employer. 2370 Buhne St, Eureka

Redwoods Rural HEALTH CENTER

Full-time Licensed Clinical Social Worker (LCSW)

Redwoods Rural Health Center seeks a LCSW to provide integrated behavioral health services for clients in Redway. Works closely with the on-site medical providers, county case management, and specialty mental health. This is a full-time position with paid time off, employer-sponsored health benefits, and Loan Repayment through the NHSC.

For more information, contact Tina Tvedt at (707) 923-2783 or send a resume to RRHC HR Dept., P.O. Box 769, Redway, CA 95560

Opportunities

HUMBOLDT STATE UNIVERSITY — A California State University

Plumber (Job #15-57)

F/T, benefited position in Facilities Management. Review: 8/14/15. For more info visit: <http://apptrkr.com/646130> or call 707-826-3626. HSU is an ADA/Title IX/EOE

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CRESTWOOD

PT RN POSITION AVAILABLE FOR RESIDENTIAL PROGRAM

Apply at Crestwood Behavioral Health Center, 2370 Buhne St, Eureka www.crestwoodbehavioralhealth.com/eureka.html

HOSPICE OF HUMBOLDT

Hospice of Humboldt has an exciting opportunity available for a

Manager of Human Resources

The Manager of HR provides leadership and oversight to the agency in all personnel matters and provides support to all supervisors. This is a one person office. You will perform all functions of HR from maintaining employee files, reconciling monthly insurance invoicing to developing and implementation of HR policies, recruitment, etc. This is a full time, exempt position. Excellent salary and benefits. Please review the job description posted on our web page, www.hospiceofhumboldt.org

If you meet the qualifications, follow the instructions on how to apply for this position.

If you have questions please call Christine Burton, Director of HR (707) 441-0105 x308

Hospice of Humboldt is a drug free workplace.

Opportunities

County of Humboldt SENIOR FISCAL ASSISTANT

\$2,753–\$3,533 Monthly (Plus Benefits)

Provides difficult or specialized fiscal, financial and accounting office support work in County offices; may assign, direct and review the work of a small staff. Must be skilled in resolving fiscal office administrative problems; preparing fiscal, accounting, payroll and statistical records; reviewing and assigning the work of others; and the use of personal or online computers.

Filing deadline: August 19, 2015. AA/EOE

Apply at: <http://www.humboldt.gov/hr> or contact Human Resources Humboldt County Courthouse 825 5th St., Rm100, Eureka, CA 95501 (707) 476-2349



United Indian Health Services, Inc.

Application deadline: August 17, 2015

Human Resources Director

Directs all aspects of HR, work with Board of Directors, Design and Maintain Organizational Structure

Member Services Manager

Manage all administrative functions relating to registration, benefits, insurance and referrals.

OB (NA-AS) Clinical Nurse

Provide comprehensive Perinatal Services

Information Systems Specialist

Install, maintain and troubleshoot as needed. Crescent City, Smith River & Klamath areas as assigned

Medical Assistants

Arcata / Weitchpec ~ Assists with examination and treatments

Clinical Nurse

Weitchpec ~ Provide appropriate sensitive care

Diabetes Program Manager

Manages & implements prevention efforts and provides clinical coordination with medical providers

Medical Provider MD/DO or FNP/PA

Smith River & Klamath areas. Provides full scope primary care

Job description & salary range posted on website. Employment application available online at www.uihs.org.

Email application, cover letter and resume to UIHS-Recruiting@crihb.org

Serving the Native American Community since 1970. In accordance with PL 93-638 American Indian Preference shall be given.

Opportunities



OFFICE ASSISTANT NORCAL SMALL BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT CENTER (SBDC)

SCHEDULE: Part-time (minimum 20 hours per week)

LOCATION: Arcata, CA

SALARY: \$13.45-18.27 per hour DOE

For full job description and application procedure, visit <http://www.w2.humboldt.edu/huhr/documents/2015SBDCOfficeAssistant.pdf>

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This full-time position conducts office and community based activities to provide education and support to the child care community to encourage healthy lifestyles and nutritious eating related to CalFresh; supports enrollments on CalFresh. Position is anticipated to end 2/28/17. Starts at \$14.11/hour.

Must be able to pass criminal history fingerprint clearance. Excellent benefits: paid vacation/sick leave, holidays and paid insurance. Application and job description available at www.changingtidesfs.org.

Please submit letter of interest, resume, and application to Nanda Prato, Human Resource Manager, at nprato@changingtidesfs.org or via U.S. mail to: 2259 Myrtle Avenue, Eureka, CA 95501 by **Monday, August 24th at 5 p.m. EOE**

Opportunities



CITY OF ARCATA
POLICE OFFICER
(\$48,719.07–\$59,218.33/yr
+ generous benefits)

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POLICE OFFICER TRAINEE
(\$17.184–\$20.888/hr + health coverage)

Applications considered on an ongoing basis. Application materials available at Arcata City Manager's Office, 736 F Street, Arcata, CA 95521; by calling (707) 825-2135; or at www.cityofarcata.org. EOE.



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\$3,270–\$4,175 MONTHLY
Excellent Benefit Package

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REQUIREMENTS: Equivalent to the completion of the twelfth (12th) grade supplemented by college-level coursework in water and/or wastewater treatment plant maintenance and repair, the electrical and/or mechanical trades, or related field, and four (4) years of responsible utility maintenance and repair experience is required.

Knowledge of and experience with 3 phase electrical systems. License: Valid California class C driver's license with satisfactory driving record. Confined space Certification. First Responder Certification. Other certifications specific to functional area of assignment may be required.

For more information and to apply on line please visit our website at www.ci.eureka.ca.gov.

**Final filing date: 5:00 pm
Friday August 21 EOE**

Opportunities



Pierson Company is now hiring for the following positions:

**Construction Project Manager • Construction Laborer
Construction Estimator • Construction Carpenter
Staff Accountant**

Knowledge of construction terms as well as a "safety-first" mindset. Construction experience preferred. Pay DOE. Submit a resume with application. Pre-employment physical and drug test req'd.

Applications may be filled out at: www.pierersoncompany.com
Pierson Company, 1200 West Harris St., Eureka
8am-5pm M-F 268-1800x10



CITY OF ARCATA ENVIRONMENTAL PROGRAMS MANAGER

\$54,604.25-\$66,371.80/yr.

Filing Deadline: 4pm August 21, 2015.

Develops, coordinates, oversees and performs a variety of professional and technical level work related to various environmental planning projects, programs, and activities, including compliance with Federal, State, and local environmental regulations and permitting requirements.

For full details and application materials:

www.cityofarcata.org

or Arcata City Manager's Office, 736 F Street, Arcata, or (707) 825-2135. EOE.



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SERVICE COORDINATOR (CASE MGR)

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CITY OF FORTUNA POLICE OFFICER

\$40,502 - 49,210 /YR
(INCENTIVES AVAILABLE).

Law enforcement, crime prevention, traffic control, and crime investigation activities; specialized law enforcement assignments; community outreach.

Must be 21 years of age at time of hire.

Graduation from, or current enrollment in, POST Academy required at time of application. Excellent benefits. Requires valid CDL.

Complete job description and required application available at friendlyfortuna.com or City of Fortuna, 621 11th Street, Fortuna, CA 95540, (707) 725-7600.

Applications deadline is 12:00 pm (noon) on **Tuesday, September 8, 2015**

Opportunities



CITY OF FORTUNA COMPLIANCE ASSISTANT

\$10.00 TO \$12.15 PER HOUR,
PART-TIME (29 HOURS PER WEEK)

To develop, coordinate and manage solid waste reduction and recycling programs; to develop, coordinate and manage Storm Water Permitting and Best Management Practices (BMP) programs; to develop and undertake a variety of informational activities to promote public awareness and community involvement in solid waste and recycling efforts; to provide professional staff assistance on various Public Works projects and programs; to assist other departments with assigned projects; and to do related work as required. Must be 18 or over and have valid CDL.

Complete job description and required application available at friendlyfortuna.com or City of Fortuna, 621 11th Street, 725-7600.

Application packet must be received by 12 pm (Noon) on **Monday, August 24, 2015**



**Southern Humboldt Community Healthcare
District is now accepting applications for:**

ACCOUNTING MANAGER

Full Time Position. Position reports to CFO and is responsible for accounts payable, payroll, the general ledger, and preparing reports for the state and other regulatory bodies. Bachelor's Degree in Accounting or comparable experience, finance, or related field is required. 2-3 year's work experience in finance or accounting, health care experience preferred. Responsible for overseeing accounting clerks.

CLINICAL LAB SCIENTIST

Full Time Position. California Clinical Laboratory Scientist. Chemistry, hematology, UA, coagulation and blood bank experience required. Includes shared call.

REGISTERED NURSE

Full Time, Part Time, or Per Diem Position. Current RN License and CPR certification required. Work 12-hour shifts in our critical access emergency room.

PHLEBOTOMIST

Full Time Position. Current certification required.

RADIOLOGIC TECHNOLOGIST

Temporary, Full Time Position. Current certification required. 8-hour, day shift, on-call required. Housing provided when on-call.

REGISTRATION CLERK

Per Diem with potential of becoming full time. Weekend Shifts required.

HOUSEKEEPER

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Health Insurance for Part Time Employees
*Shared housing available between shifts

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Or call (707) 923-3921 ext. 230

Opportunities



CITY OF FORTUNA - COMMUNITY
DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT

SENIOR ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT

\$37,003.96 - \$44,959.81

FULL TIME. EXCELLENT BENEFITS.

Mid level administrative and clerical support, to perform a wide variety of office support work for the City's Community Development Department; attend Planning Commission and other meetings; data entry; research and prepare various reports; process permit applications; open and organize files; take messages; collect fees; provide a variety of information to the public about City processes, policies, programs and services; and do related work as required. Must have valid CDL.

Complete job description and required application available at friendlyfortuna.com or City of Fortuna, 621 11th Street, 725-7600.

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Community Health Centers

BEHAVIORAL HEALTH INTEGRATED PROVIDER

1 F/T Crescent City

CASE MANAGER

1 F/T Arcata

CASE MANAGER REFERRAL SUPPORT

1 F/T Crescent City

DIETICIAN (Ped obesity experience)

1 F/T Arcata/Eureka

IT HELPDESK TECHNICIAN

1 F/T Arcata

LATINO HEALTH COORDINATOR

1 F/T Crescent City

MEDICAL ASSISTANT

1 F/T Eureka (Spanish speaker and phlebotomy preferred)

1 F/T Arcata (prenatal)

1 F/T Arcata

REGISTERED NURSE

1 F/T Crescent City

1 F/T Willow Creek

RN CLINIC COORDINATOR

1 F/T Crescent City

SITE ADMINISTRATOR

1 F/T McKinleyville

TRAINING SPECIALIST

1 F/T Eureka

Visit www.opendoorhealth.com to complete and submit our online application.

Opportunities



CITY OF FORTUNA ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT

\$13.92-\$16.91 PER HR (DOQ):
PART-TIME, 29 HRS PER WEEK.

Schedule negotiable. Performs a variety of complex administrative and clerical support for the Administration Department in such areas as Human Resources, Risk Management, City Clerk, IT, special projects; and performs related work as assigned.

Full job description and required application available at 621 11th Street, Fortuna, or www.friendlyfortuna.com.

Application Deadline 12 pm,
Monday August 31, 2015



CITY OF FORTUNA LEAD UTILITY WORKER II

\$34,970 – \$42,489 FULL TIME,
EXCELLENT BENEFITS.

To perform a variety of tasks in the operation and maintenance of the City's water distribution and sewer collection systems; to perform underground repair and construction work; to supervise the work of others; and to do related work as required. Must be 18 or over and have valid Class B CDL. D2 and T1 certification required at time of hire.

Complete job description and required application available at friendlyfortuna.com or City of Fortuna, 621 11th Street, 725-7600.

Application packet must be received by 12 pm (Noon) on **Monday, August 24, 2015**



Humboldt Senior Resource Center

DIRECTOR OF HUMAN RESOURCES: P/T 32/ hrs week. Bachelors in related field desirable (will consider equiv work exp) with 3 yrs' exp as an HR generalist.

PACE ENROLLMENT REPRESENTATIVE: P/T (20/ hrs wk) to start; must be able to go F/T (40/hrs wk) when the time is needed (timeframe TBD). Bachelors in health, social services, geriatrics or marketing desirable. Knowledge of managed care & older adult services as well as some exp in sales or membership services a plus. Must have strong computer skills.

Salary: DOE; Competitive benefit package. To apply submit a cover letter, resume and HSRC application.

Go to www.humsenior.org for complete job description and application.

Closes: August 17th or open until filled.

For more information, call 443-9747 EOE.

Opportunities

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2370 Buhne St, Eureka
www.crestwoodbehavioralhealth.com/eureka.html



MENTAL HEALTH SUPPORT SPECIALIST

This intermittent position provides support to children, youth and families in a variety of settings including home, school, and community; provides 1:1 behavior coaching in a home, school or community setting; provides referral and linkage to community resources; provides parent education and support as directed. \$18.00/hour.

Must be able to pass DOJ/FBI criminal history fingerprint clearance and possess a valid CDL, current automobile insurance, and a vehicle for work.

Application and job description available at www.changingtidesfs.org or by calling (707) 444-8293. Please submit letter of interest, resume, and application by email to nprato@changingtidesfs.org or U.S. mail to Nanda Prato, 2259 Myrtle Avenue, Eureka, CA 95501 by **Monday, August 17th at 5:00 p.m.** EOE

County of Humboldt VICTIM/WITNESS PROGRAM SPECIALIST

\$2,712-\$3,480/mo. plus benefits.

Provides assistance to and coordinates support for victims and witnesses of crimes, coordinates court appearances and explains court procedures, processes claims for compensation, provides crisis counseling and makes referrals to community organizations for services. A CDL is required. One yr exp in crisis intervention, counseling or similar work and an AA degree in psychology, social services or a related field is desirable.

Filing deadline: August 21, 2015. Apply online at www.humboldt.gov/hr or contact Human Resources (707) 476-2349; Humboldt County Courthouse; 825 5th St, Eureka AA/EOE

Opportunities



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For details, please call **(707) 441-2417** or go to www.eurekacityschools.org



The Hoopa Valley Tribe is accepting applications to fill the following vacant position

Elder/Child Services Social Worker:

Regular F/T, Salary: \$41,600 annually. Coordinates and implements various activities of the Indian Child and Family Services program; performs case management and/or advocate role for program clients. Work hours 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 pm. Summer hrs. 7:00 a.m. to 5:30 p.m., Monday through Friday/4-10's (summer).

Job Description, application information contact the Human Resources Department. Submit applications to the Human Resources Department, Hoopa Valley Tribe, P.O. Box 218, Hoopa, CA 95546 or call (530) 625-9200 ext., 13 or 15. The Tribe's Alcohol and Drug Policy and TERO Ordinance apply.



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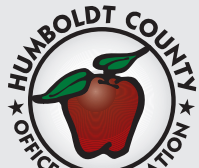
Must be at least 18 years.

We will be accepting applications Saturday, 08/15/15 between 8:00 am-10:00 am only at Sierra Pacific Industries, 2593 New Navy Base Road, Arcata. Sierra Pacific is located approximately 3 miles from Eureka or Arcata on Hwy 255. Everyone who applies will be given a short interview.

We are a drug and tobacco free work place. A verifiable Social Security Number is required. An Equal Opportunity Employer, including disabled and veterans.

Opportunities

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Opportunities

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Opportunities



MENDOCINO COUNTY TREASURER/TAX COLLECTOR

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Revenue Recovery Specialist
\$3,061-\$3,719/Mo

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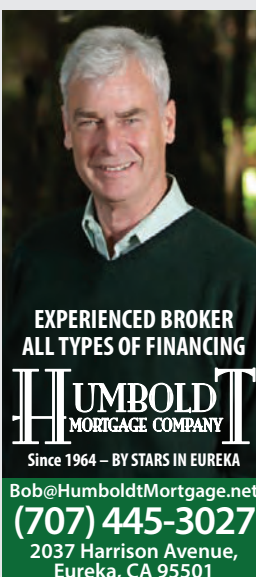
Community

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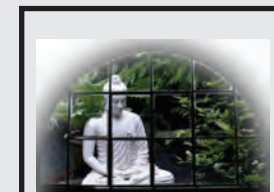


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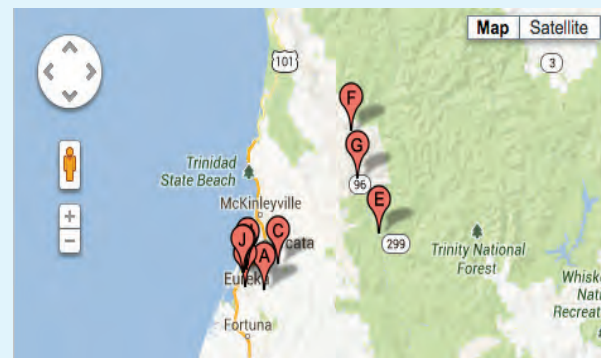
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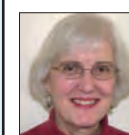
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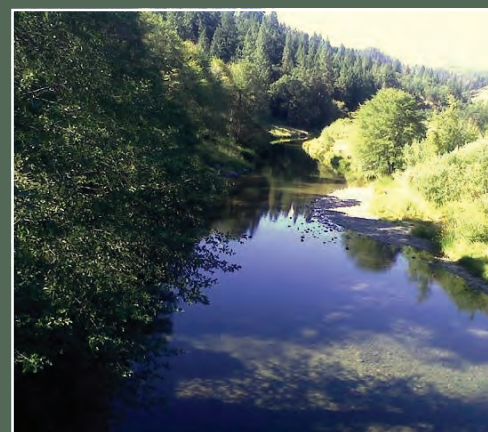


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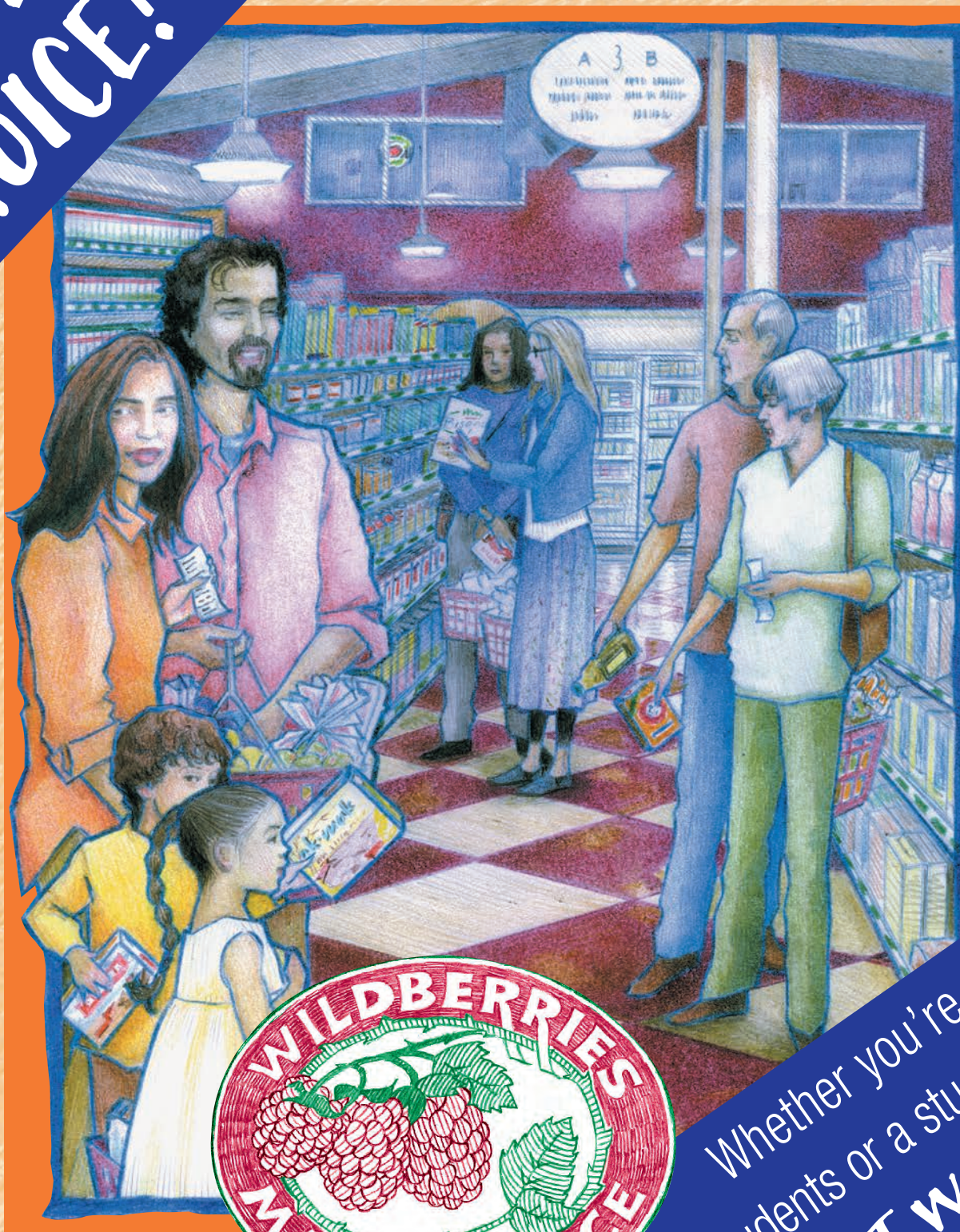
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